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ROLLERS PUT UNDER MOTT AYERS CROWD.

See Defeat and Make Hasty Exit During Confusion Created for that Purpose. Dodds Made Chairman and Elliott Secretary of Convention. Resolutions Adopted: Favor Extension of County Unit, Etc.

The Democrats of Fulton county held a convention in Hickman, Saturday.

It was hot stuff.

The purpose of the convention was to name delegates to attend the platform convention at Louisville, Tuesday. Although notice of the meeting was given by no paper in the county except the Courier, and was called for Saturday, which is usually a bad day for getting business men out, the convention was easily 300 strong, and had representatives from every precinct in the county.

In short, it was a field between the Ayers crowd and the voters of the county. The former were somewhat surprised when they arrived in Hickman and saw the layout, and hurried entrance were held in Judge J. T. Davis' office. They saw at a glance that a snap convention could not be held, and that their opposition was about five to one, with guns spiked. Overtures to leaders of the common people failed to effect any compromise, and it was evident the jig was up. Folks, who had heretofore stood for one political issue after another, were contrary Saturday. The oil of promise would not still the troubled waters, and it was decided that the only alternative was to go into the meeting with plenty of soft soap.

Promptly at 2 o'clock, "Hickman time" the meeting was called to order by County Chairman Ayers. He stated the purpose of the meeting, and advised that all ill feeling between Democrats be dropped—especially that little episode of the recent primary.

Before Mr. Ayers had finished, that Thos. Smith, of Fulton, was on the floor with whiskey, soft soap and Ayer's Harmony Soothing Syrup.

The first thing in order after the opening of the convention was the election of the chairman, but Smith proceeded, out of order, with a lengthy address which was hoped would touch the sympathy of some of the opposition. But, the climax was reached when the speaker undertook to put before the meeting a set of resolutions and about 40 names of those wanted by them for delegates. Utterances of "shut down—hush up—out of order"—etc. came from the anti-Ayers crowd and so much confusion followed that Smith could not be heard. A fumble was made by the clerk by trying to force a vote on that set of resolutions, and more confusion was added to the scene. Seeing the utter hopelessness of accomplishing anything, the chairman asked a separation of the voting forces, and while they were in a regular hubbub, the Ayers crowd made a getaway. When order was restored, and the crowd seated, only one Ayers man was to be found—a lone scout.

No business having been transacted, no organization perfected, it was up to the 250 Democrats assembled to select a chairman. Atty. Sam Elliott placed the name of S. L. Dodds before them for chairman, with the result that he was unanimously elected. Elliott was then elected a secretary, and the regular business transacted.

Chairman Dodds was authorized to select nine delegates, including himself, to attend the Louisville convention. The delegates selected were as follows:

S. L. Dodds, Chairman
Sam Elliott
Joe Browder
J. C. Lawson
Ed Williams
Dr. J. W. Naylor

B. T. Davis,
W. H. Amberg,
J. W. Roney.

Mr. Dodds and a number of others made good talks and were heartily applauded. From this juncture the convention was an harmonious as one could wish.

The following resolutions were adopted.

Resolutions.

Pursuant to a call of the State Democratic Executive Committee, we the democratic voters of Fulton County in convention assembled for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the State Convention to be held in the city of Louisville August 15th, 1911 for the purpose of adopting a platform for the guidance of the Democratic Party and for the consideration of the voters of Kentucky, being called to order by Chairman Mott Ayers. (However before the convention was organized a set of resolutions were offered by H. T. Smith and were voted down by a large majority.) The name of S. L. Dodds was placed before the convention for permanent chairman, there being no other nomination for permanent chairman he was unanimously elected.

Then the election of a secretary was called for and Sam Elliott being the only name placed in nomination he was likewise unanimously elected.

The following resolutions were then adopted:

First: Resolved that we endorse Hon. Ollie M. James our present congressman and commend him for the manner in which he has so faithfully performed his duty as a member of the lower house of Congress.

Second, that we condemn the present Republican Administration for the reckless expenditure of the State's money.

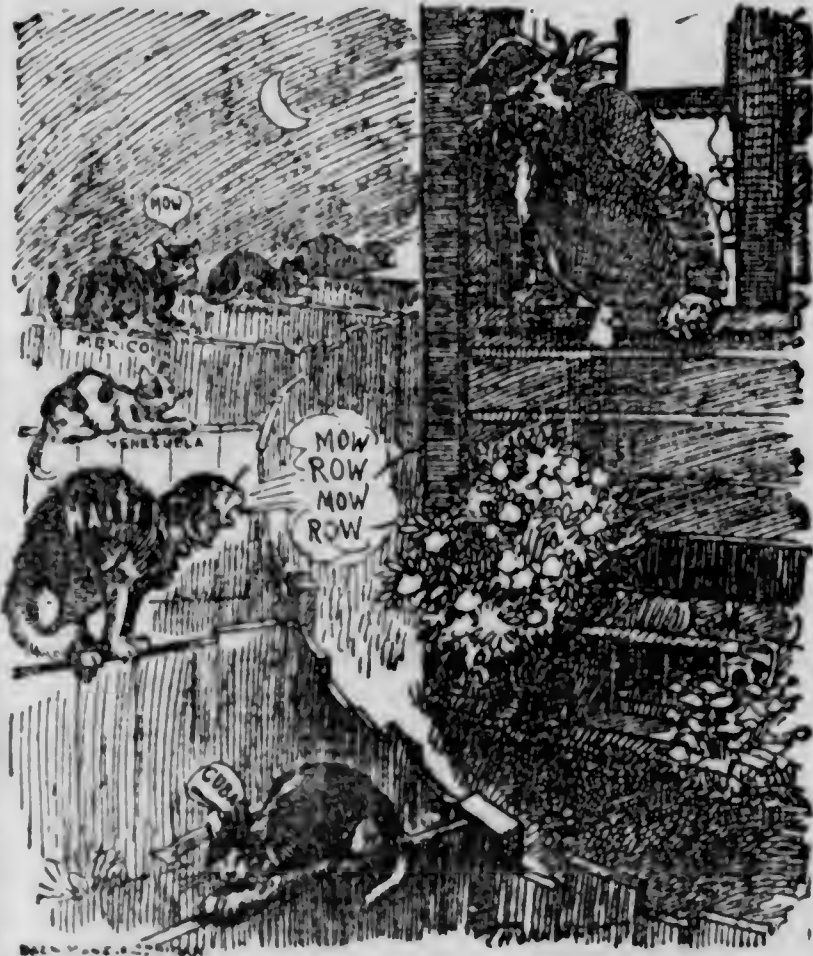
Third, that we recommend the extension of the present County Unit Law to apply to every county in the State and instruct the delegates of this county to use all their efforts and vote for such a plank to be inserted in the platform to be adopted at Louisville.

Fourth; that we favor the separation of the Prison Commission from politics.

Fifth; that the chairman of this convention appoint eight delegates to attend the convention and cast the vote of this County at the convention at Louisville to be held on August 15th, 1911, and that the delegates vote as a unit on all questions.

S. L. Dodds, Chairman.
Sam Elliott, Secretary.

FIRST ONE AND THEN ANOTHER



And Between the Bunch Uncle Ben Gets Very Little Rest.

Merely Local Agitation.

The violent and unlooked for oscillation of the needle on the Washington Observatory seismograph has been traced toward Hickman, and a detailed investigation proved the shocks to have originated at this point but not from earth vibrations. It was merely the cavorts of W. A. Johnston, whose superabundant exhilaration exceeded the speed limit on account of the arrival of a fine boy at his home last Friday. The stork left a ten-pound package.

Contractor L. P. McClavy, who completed the grading for the N. C. & St. L. belt line tells us that this work alone cost the railroad \$2585.85. With one exception, this is the most costly mile of railroad on the company's system.

Misses Buffle and Effie Hruer left last Friday for Hot Springs to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. G. W. Carter Dead.

Mrs. Geo. W. Carter, age 42 years, died at her home in West Hickman, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, after a three weeks' illness. Death was the result of a nervous breakdown.

Deceased had resided in this city about five years, and was previous to her marriage, seven years ago, a Mrs. W. E. Suttle, of Union City. She is survived by her husband, who is an employe of the Mengel Box Co.

The schools of Hickman will soon begin and the finest high school in Western Kentucky is free to every pupil in Fulton county. Parents, who have the welfare of their children at heart, cannot afford to overlook this splendid opportunity.

Rev. H. S. Morgan, of Murray, Ky., is visiting J. P. Giles and family on route 5.

Atty. J. W. Roney went to Fulton, Saturday, on a business trip.

Semi-Annual Statement

—of the—
**Hickman Building and
Loan Association...**

HICKMAN, KY.

For term ending August 1st, 1911.

To net premiums for term \$1,086.50
To net int. for term..... 2,318.35
To net fees for term 42.50
To net fines for term..... 2.60
By expense.....\$ 272.00
By gains 3,177.95

\$3,449.95 \$3,449.95

ASSETS

Loans in force.....\$88,200.00
Cash in treasury 6,766.62
\$94,966.62

LIABILITIES

Series	Shares	Value	Total
D2.....	32	\$103.50	\$3,312.00
E2.....	148	94.40	13,971.20
F2.....	71	85.55	6,074.05
G2.....	127	77.00	9,779.00
H2.....	147	68.65	10,091.55
I2.....	130	60.80	7,904.00
J2.....	204	53.40	10,893.60
K2.....	114	45.90	5,232.60
L2.....	248	38.80	9,622.40
M2.....	198	31.80	6,296.40
N2.....	94	25.20	2,368.80
O2.....	292	18.70	5,460.40
P2.....	236	12.35	2,914.60
Q2.....	168	6.10	1,024.80
Undivided profits.....			21.22

\$94,966.62

Total number of shares 2,209

TOM DILLON, Sr., Sec

Thomas Stockton, of Dyer, Tenn., visited his brother, Wm. G. Stockton last week.

Robert Thomas Stockton, of Newbern, Tenn., visited his cousin, Wm. G. Stockton the first of the week.

John W. Gates, one of the biggest gamblers in the world, who amassed a fortune of about \$50,000,000 of other folks money, died in Paris, France, Thursday.

Walter Thomas and niece, Miss Blanche Thomas, who have been visiting W. T. Parham, left Monday for their home in Sharron, Tenn.

..Fall Skirts..

Just Received

We are ready to show the most attractive models possible to find in Serge, Panamas and Fancy Mixtures. Made with straight belt or high waist line, panel back or plain, fastening on side or back.

Prices \$2.50 to \$15.00

New Fall Gingham

We are showing a complete line of the new patterns in Toile-du-Nord Gingham.

Price, per yard, 12 1-2c

Smith & Amberg

Jail Delivery Thwarted.

Jailer Noonon barely thwarted a jail delivery Sunday afternoon, when he was informed by a "trusty" that the prisoners were digging through the west wall of the jail. He made a hurried investigation and found that a large hole was being dug through the brick wall just under a window. The prisoners had been allowed to stay out of their cells during the day on account of the extreme heat, and a negro, charged with housebreaking in Fulton, managed to get hold of a small iron rod with which he was slowly but surely digging to freedom. All prisoners were promptly "caged." There are several bad men confined to the county bastille now, and a jail delivery could not occur at a more critical time. Mr. Noonon will use extra precaution from now until after the September term of court, at which it is expected he will be relieved of several of his charges. Fulton county really needs a new jail.

About the oldest Fulton county tax receipt we've ever seen was left at this office Saturday by C. H. McMurray, who found it among some old papers that had been thrown away. The receipt was made out to W. H. McConnell, in 1847. It states that the taxes are for 350 acres of land valued at \$1,750, which is now known as the old McConnell place; 4 horses valued at \$120; 1 mule at \$40; and 11 slaves, 4 of whom were over 16 years of age, valued at \$2800. Total valuation, \$4710, and the taxes amounted to \$14.56. The receipt is signed by S. D. Stephens, deputy for R. Brown, sheriff. Although 64 years of age the instrument is well preserved.

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suit at the prices we quote. They're regular goods at way below regular prices.

25.00 suit at	-	-	-	15.50
20.00 suit at	-	-	-	13.50
18.00 suit at	-	-	-	12.50
15.00 suit at	-	-	-	10.50
12.50 suit at	-	-	-	8.50

The above prices will only hold good for a few days longer.

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has always been to have only goods of highest quality—to sell them at reasonable prices—to fulfill all promises and make no misrepresentations. It may be an old fashioned policy, but we think it pays. You do not need to go to Memphis or Nashville to buy

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Cut Glass
Watches
Silverware
Novelties

We make just as low prices on the same goods. Why not trade at home?

SCHLENKER

The Jeweler

TIME TABLE C., M. & G. R. R.

(Effective June 4, 1911)

Leave Hickman.....5:30 a. m.
Arrive Dyersburg.....8:30 a. m.
Leave Hickman.....2:00 p. m.
Arrive Dyersburg.....5:00 p. m.
Leave Dyersburg.....9:00 a. m.
Arrive Hickman.....12:00 noon
Leave Dyersburg.....5:30 p. m.
Arrive Hickman.....8:30 p. m.
G. M. ROSS, Agent.

Teachers' Exam.

Teachers' examination will be held at the Court House in Hickman, Aug. 18 and 19.

The examination for colored teachers will be held August 25 and 26.—Virginia Luten, Supt.



Double Protection

Fire departments are necessary and save much property, but they cannot be relied upon always. Although they may put out the fire, water may do as much damage as the fire. Fire insurance protects you against the loss by fire as well as the loss by water damage. A fire insurance policy in a reliable company with a reputation for fair dealing and promptness is your best protection. We represent only such companies.

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Will Build Interurban.

Mr. E. F. Wheaton, who was in Hickman a short time ago, trying to get our people interested in his plan to build an electric line from Hickman to Paducah, writes us that he has succeeded in consummating his plans. In part, his letter reads:

"I take great pleasure in informing you that the company which was discussed while in Hickman to be known as the Kentucky Southwestern Rail way, Light & Power Co., has been incorporated under Delaware laws, and I am pushing the work as rapidly as possible. I have secured sufficient interested capital to insure its success, and while we should, of course, like all the local assistance we can possibly secure, and are working hard to secure it, the project will go through to a successful completion without local support if such a thing must be. This road will certainly be built. Paducah people are very enthusiastic, and we trust your people will at least exhibit a spirit of friendliness to our efforts, which, when successful, may be of great benefit to them, etc."

Mr. Wheaton further relates that surveys, rights of way, maps, profiles, reports, etc., are being looked after now on the line from Paducah to Mayfield, a distance of 29.3 miles. This covers about half of the preliminary work.

As stated in a former article on this subject, Hickman's business men have subscribed liberally in the past two years to various propositions, and they must feel that they have shouldered about all they can carry at the present. And yet we cannot fail to realize that an electric railway would be of vast importance to us—worth all or even more than we have been asked to subscribe. Hence, if we cannot go into the thing financially, we should at least lend the project our good will and encouragement. If Mr. Wheaton has succeeded in getting outside capital interested in the extent of building a road into Hickman, Hickman can well afford to give him her hearty support in exchange for the benefits to be derived. Failure to cooperate to this extent might have a tendency to cause the road to terminate at some other nearby point, greatly to our detriment. While on the other hand it is reasonable to expect other benefits—possibly street car service, etc.—by their coming.

At all events, Mr. Wheaton's present plan is meeting us largely over half way, and we can well afford to invest our "boosting" in the proposition.



I INSURED WITH KENNEDY.

Game Getting Scarce.

Unless something is done in the near future to prevent the wholesale destruction of fish and game in and out of season, Ky. fields will be bare of birds and streams without fish. Even now there is but little use for gun or rod and line, and scarcity of fish and game is a constant inducement to violation of law in the shooting of game out of season and in the use of dynamite and poison. Two things are necessary for the preservation of the game and fish. One of these is the protection of the game now existing, and the other is the stocking of streams and fields by means of fish hatcheries and game preserves.



I DIDN'T.

Doctor Wiley took one-third of the time of first class man instead of all the time of a third class man. That is the actual "offense" for which the great friend of the people is being hurried by the Taft administration.

As soon as a married woman gets \$50 saved up she becomes oppressed by the thought that she is merely accumulating a fortune for the second wife to spend.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Robt. Hicks, of Crutcheville, who has a sunflower with 55 blooms, no longer holds the blue ribbon. Anty Daniels, of East Hickman, has one with 123 blooms. The stalk is 4 inches in diameter, and 10 feet high.

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Rough Lumber For Sale...

Dimension Stuff cut to order on Short Notice.

Mill located on Dresden Road, 2 1-2 miles east of Hickman. If you are in need of anything in this line, see

Dr. J. M. HUBBARD

Johnson Caught White.

"Have White in jail here; notify Pranger."

This is the way a telegram was worded which Sheriff Johnson received Saturday from Lamar, Colo. The man in question is Jim White, who killed Fred Otterson at Cairo, Oct. 8, 1910. Johnson got on White's trail several months ago and finally located him at Lamar. A reward of \$400 was offered for the capture of White, and Goulder will get it. It is said that Otterson was White's third victim. Johnson is right there with the goods when it comes to running down bad men.

If you sit in a cool draft when you are heated and get a stiff neck or lame back, you will be looking for something that will ease the pain. Fix your mind on HALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT and don't be talked out of it because it is the best pain relieving liniment you can get anywhere. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Nine Longest Words.

Below are the nine longest words in the English language at the present time:

Subconstitutionalism
Incomprehensibility
Philoprogenitiveness
Honorificabundantly
Disproportionableness
Anthropophagousantarian
Vesicopoststationableness
Transubstantiationableness
Pneumatotransubstantiation

If you can't pronounce these, or don't know what they mean after you get them pronounced, don't ask us for we are no better off than you are.

MOSQUITOES BAD THIS YEAR.

But don't scratch the poisoned skin. Use a mild, cooling, healing compound that stops the itch instantly, draws out the poison in the skin and protects it against further trouble.

Just a mild cleaning wash of oil of wintergreen, thymol and a few other ingredients known as the D. D. D. Prescription (so famous in cases of Eczema) and you have mosquito protection for the season.

Yes, instant relief—now only 25c

HICKMAN DRUG CO., Hickman, Ky.

No Taste to It. Bah!

The greatest surprise to a girl who gets kissed the first time is that there is no taste to it.—Exchange.

No taste to it? Well, by the hen feathers on Cupid's dart, but the editor who penned this paragraph must be color-blind in the palate. They tell us, those who have tried it, that it tastes like double-distilled essence of honey sprinkled or spread thick on a piece of pumpkin pie. Anyhow, back in the dim and distant years before we lost our teeth and our elch on the beauty prize, the prettiest girl in all the world told us that the first kiss felt like a covey of quail flying out of each ear and ended up like a flock of angels pouring molasses down one's back.

No taste to the first kiss? Great Scott! and then some.

It would make a wooden cigar Indian's hair curl and his toe nails quiver in ecstasy.

The author of the "tasteless first kiss" is evidently a cold storage product of the art preservative or lichen scribbler.—Paragoult Solphonne.

Miss Ruth Stone, of Milan, Tenn., who has been residing and teaching music in Oklahoma for the past year, is here the guest of her brothers, L. A. Stone and A. R. Stone and families.

Mrs. Charles Perry and son, Clyde, returned Saturday night from Armor, Ark., where she has been visiting for the past two weeks.

Cypress Shingles \$1.25 a thousand at mill six miles southwest of Hickman.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

Miss Mayme Naylor returned last week from a visit to Miss Erlene Reed in Fulton.

Bargains in Farm Land.

Kentucky Land For Sale.

Tract No. 1. Eighty acres 1 1/2 miles below Hickman on C., M. & G. Ry. About 70 acres in cultivation, balance in woods. New 4-room house and stable. Will take \$4,000 for this land.

Tract No. 2. Forty acres two miles from Hickman on C., M. & G. Ry. New 6-room house, stable, etc. About thirty acres in cultivation, balance in timber. Will take \$3,000 for this tract.

Tract No. 3. Farm of 160 acres, 2 miles below Hickman, all in cultivation, several good houses and residences, stables, etc. Rented out for a term of four years with good tenant. \$65 per acre.

Tract No. 4. About 75 acres, two good tenant houses, stables, etc. All in cultivation. 2 1/2 miles from Hickman 1/2 mile from Owen Slough Switch. \$90 per acre.

Tract No. 5. Farm of 380 acres on Big Slough, about 7 miles from Hickman, 1/2 mile of leadford station, 8 or 10 good tenant houses, stables, etc., about 150 acres in cultivation, gravelled road being built through this land. \$60 per acre.

Tract No. 7. Farm of 180 acres between Mud Creek and Chayer, all in cultivation. Good barns, houses etc. Price made on application.

Mississippi Land For Sale.

Tract No. 8. 2558 acres between State Farm and Roundway Plantation, 1/4 mile from Madison branch on Y. & M. V. Ry., 15 miles from Clarksville, Miss. About 100 acres in cultivation, balance in woods. The saw logs have been cut from it but the timber standing can be worked into cross ties, staves, etc. A new manager's cottage with 7 or 8 good tenant houses, stables, etc., artesian well flowing 75 gallons per minute. Will take \$60,000 for this piece of property. None finer in the Delta. This is a good chance for a few Fulton county boys to join in and divide up this property.

Tract No. 9. 728 acres three miles from Heathman on Southern Ry., and three miles from Leland branch of Y. & M. V. Ry., 1 1/2 miles from Sunflower river. About 150 acres in cultivation, and about 450 acres that has been denuded 4 or 5 years. Six or seven good tenant houses, stables, etc. Will take \$15,000 for this, on terms stated on above land.

Tract No. 10. Forty acres 2 miles north of Heathman. Will take \$10 per acre for this.

Will sell any of above land at 10 per cent cash, balance one to five, one to ten, one to twenty, one to forty years if so desired by purchaser, 6 per cent payable annually.

Also forty good brood mares, bred to \$1500 Jack that we will sell at a bargain. Also several good registered red polled bull calves, and several registered Berkshire bear pigs.

S. L. DODDS.

Mr. Luten, Miss Mattie Sany and Miss Ruby Sany, of Hickman, Misses Ruby and Elizabeth Alexander, of Jordan, and Mr. Drew Luten and daughter, Miss Cuthie May, are in a party visiting Niagara Falls.

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No doubt originated the idea of a

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We've built more homes than any institution of the kind in the country.

We've conducted our business with comparative little expense.

We've been conservative in making loans, and sustained few losses.

We've helped the fellow that tried to help himself
We've confined our business to Fulton county.

We've proven the compatibility of our plan.

We've, by existence, shown the stability of our institution.

We've published our statements to the world.

We've held our meetings regularly.

We've had our books audited semi-annually.

THEREFORE

in view of all this we wish to announce that the books for the present series will close on Thursday, August 17th, and if you wish to take stock with us we shall be pleased to enroll your name on or before that date.

Hickman Building & Loan Asso'n

TOM DILLON, Secretary.

Final Settlement.

All persons or firms holding claims against the estate of Robt. H. Spoight deceased, are hereby notified that said claims must be presented to me in proper form on or before October 1, 1911, or be forever barred. Claims may be mailed to me at Bandana, Ky.—H. H. WHITBE, Administrator. 9-1-11

A Virginia syndicate has brought sixty thousand acres of coal lands in Magooffin county Ky. for which \$200,000 were paid.

Residence For Sale.

FOR SALE: The Mrs. Della Carpenter residence in the Henry Addition. House is practically new, has four rooms, good garden fenced, etc. etc. four outbuildings, etc. Lot is 50x150. Unfortunately owner must sell. This can be bought at a bargain—less than the house cost. If you have \$400 idle cash and are paying rent, you had better investigate. Particulars at Courier office. dh

H. C. Barrett, funeral director and embalmer, with St. Louis Furnishings Co.

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Can Save You Money

New Fall Goods will soon be crowding me to the limit, and space becomes more and more valuable.

My policy is to never carry over goods from one season to another, and in order to accomplish this all Suits, Oxfords, Shirts, Underwear, Straw Hats, etc., will be closed out at startlingly low prices.

It will pay you to buy these articles now and reserve them until next season.

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It's Nice To Fly High



But It's Safer To Have MONEY IN THE BANK

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HIGH flyers don't get far, it is those who stay close to the earth and plod along, putting a little in the bank each week, that really get ahead. So don't fly high, put some money in the bank.

The Peoples Bank
Will Appreciate Your Business.

NOTICE!

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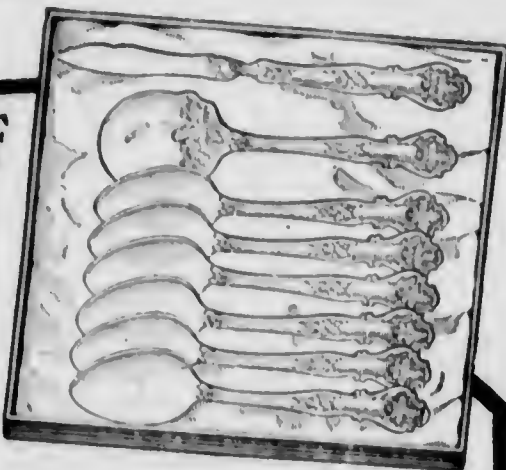
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DAKOTA LANDS TO BE PEOPLED

PRESIDENT ORDERS ABOUT 100,000 ACRES THROWN OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

REGISTERING HAS BEGUN

Tract is included in the Fort Berthold Reservation and Borders on River—Classed as Agricultural Land.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 15.—For the first time in the history of North Dakota, and for the first time since the wild buffalo and the Red Man roamed the prairies, the land which is now included in the Fort Berthold reservation will be peopled. The president has issued a proclamation directing that this land be opened to settlement under the homestead laws, and the tracts of land will be distributed to anxious land seekers from all over the United States by Uncle Sam. The land of which every citizen of the United States will have an opportunity to register for is situated in Mountrail and McLean counties, west of the central part of the state, and lies directly south of the small town of Plaza, bordering on the Missouri river.

The Fort Berthold lands have been classified as agricultural lands of the second class and grazing lands. The total area which will become subject to entry will perhaps be 160,000 acres. There seems to be a diversity of opinion as to the value of the lands by the residents of Minot and Plaza. Judging from the value of the land which is contiguous to the town of Plaza, one is justified in the belief that the land will range in price from \$10 to \$40 an acre.

STARTS ON LONG TRIP

Aviator Atwood Begins Cross-Continent Flight, St. Louis to New York, With Daring Display.

St. Louis, Aug. 15.—Harry N. Atwood flew in an aeroplane over St. Louis, cut fancy figures 1,000 feet in the air above the skyscrapers of the business district, and then started away to the northeast in an attempt to fly to New York—a feat which will break all world's records if accomplished.

More than a quarter of a million persons are estimated to have seen the daring young aviator in flight. Business virtually was suspended while the machine was in view. From the roofs and windows of buildings, and from the streets and river front, thousands craned their necks to watch the flight of the birdman.

He reached Springfield, covering the first stage, 85 miles, in two hours, incidentally beating the time of the C. & A. "Hummer."

GENERAL LEA VEDS TYPIST

Marriage of Boxer War Leader Long Kept Secret, Reported From Germany.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 15.—That Gen. Homer Lea, leader of the reform army in the Boxer rebellion in China in 1900 and a well known author, was married to his former stenographer, Miss Ethel Tower, in Memphis last June, was the word received from Wiesbaden, Germany.

Then Lea departed for Germany June 14 to consult an eye specialist and married Miss Tower en route. She accompanied him to Europe, but news of the wedding was suppressed.

See our bargains in mens, boys and young mens clothing.—Sullivan Bros.

Our suits speak well of us.—Sullivan Bros.

Latest styles and patterns in wall paper.—Fetche & French.

Go to Sullivan Bros., the place where good clothes are priced to please you.

James Laird, of Memphis, was the guest of Miss Versie Smith Saturday and Sunday.

Couldn't trade us out—skin us out—and finally had to get out.—Oh, you convention.

R. L. Gray, the blacksmith, is figuring on erecting a brick building where his old shop now stands, and have an up-to-date blacksmithing establishment.

S. A. Brooks, whose home was recently destroyed by fire, asks us to state that he had no ash barrel about his premises, although the report went out that it was thought the fire started from such a source.

The lodgion precinct was pretty well represented here Saturday. Among others we noticed W. E. Matlock, J. C. Browder, Ed Williamson, Lon Blinford, Van O'Neal, Chas. Hill, Wallace Tyler and Jno. C. Lawson.

JURY TO INDICT BEATTIE

EARLY TRIAL PROBABLE FOR ALLEGED WIFE SLAYER.

Crowds Flock to Courthouse, Where State's Greatest Mystery Is Investigated.

Chesterfield Courthouse, Va., Aug. 15.—When the grand jury took up the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia against Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., who is charged with wife murder, hundreds of nearby country men and scores of curious from Richmond surrounded the little red brick courthouse. Not one-fifth of them could find room within, and the sheriff's force, aided by the Richmond police, drew a cordon of guards about the little building to keep the crowd in order.

For Virginia was seeing the real beginning of its most famous and mysterious murder investigation. Virginians came on foot, on horseback and in every kind of old and new vehicle.

Chesterfield county farmers reaped a golden harvest. At Centralia, the nearest trolley station, four miles from the courthouse, they were lined up with their buggies, surreys and even farm wagons, to transport the would-be spectators for good round sums.

Trolley Service Doubled.

Even the trolley line covering the 12 miles from Richmond to Centralia, recognized the demand and put on double service. Every car was crowded to the limit.

All this was despite the fact that the proceedings were purely formal. Only a few witnesses, of the half hundred obtained by the prosecution, were on hand, and even before the grand jury convened, it was said, Beattie's indictment was certain.

The main matter of speculation was the date to be fixed for the trial. Up to the last minute, Attorney Harry M. Smith, for the defense, declared he would not press for a long adjournment. Special Prosecutor Wendenburg was planning an attempt to have Beattie put on trial Thursday or Friday that a jury might be obtained by Monday.

HAITIANS ELECT LACONTE

Lacoste Elected Successor to Simon, Who Abdicated Authority Last Week.

Port au Prince, Aug. 15.—At the election held here today General Lacoste had an easy victory. No other candidate made a showing.

General Firmin withdrew his presidential aspirations, but there was an undercurrent of feeling that his followers would continue to advocate his cause.

The fact that there was little serious opposition to General Lacoste made a quiet and peaceful election. This of course is because the Haitians realized they had either to vote for the man in power or not vote at all.

GIRL KILLED BY HAT PIN

Fight in Motor Car Results Fatally to Young Woman—Hat Assault—Arrested.

New York, Aug. 15.—A quarrel between members of a party of young women returning from a Long Island shore resort, ended in a fight with hatpins as their car was pulling into the city over the Queensborough bridge. Nineteen-year-old Alveda Carpenter was stabbed in the heart and dropped dead in the street as she alighted from the car. The police arrested one of her companions and charged her with the murder.

Missouri Boy Killed by Train.

Pacific, Mo., Aug. 15.—Charles Worthington, 17 years old, was killed by a Missouri Pacific train at Labadie, eight miles west of Pacific. Worthington was walking along the track and failed to heed the approach of the train.

Sullivan Bros.—the house of bargains.

That steam roller certainly had some weight.

The little fracas which we reported at Brownsville last week occurred at Beech Grove instead of Brownsville. We were misinformed as to the place.

Hobby Burns has said "the best laid schemes of mice and men will oftentimes go astray." This applies to politics as well as any other subject.

Eld. B. Sibbrell left Monday for Poplar Bluff and other points in Missouri. He will be gone about ten days, and there will be no preaching at the Christian church next Sunday on account of his absence.

Eld. S. R. Locke, formerly of Nashville, but now of Dyer, Tenn., will begin a protracted meeting at Mt. Hermon next Sunday. Prof. W. G. Jones, of Bloomfield, Mo., will lead the song service. Everybody invited.

J. H. Pickett had the misfortune to have a large load of corn—600 bags—to sink at the Milline Sunday night. The barge was raised Monday and most of the corn recovered. The grain belonged to the Bryant-Pothen-Farris Grain Co. The loss will be very small. Filling of the river caused the barge to sink.

Dorena Notes.

Mrs. Crawford has been very sick. Mrs. Ada Pickett is able to be up again.

John Pickett has been very sick of fever.

Mrs. J. O. King was on the sick list last week.

Miss Laura Brown was in Hickman Saturday.

Miss Rosie Kelley is reported as not improving.

Mrs. Jas. Townsend is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Carroll is visiting her daughter in Beale, Tenn.

Mrs. Beulah White was in town one day last week.

Mr. Bradley is all smiles—he has a fine girl at his house.

Miss Pearl Pickett, of Cairo, visited Miss Lizzie Pickett last Sunday.

Several Dorena citizens were in Charleston last week on business.

The loggers on Shell Island are losing time on account of the rain.

Mrs. Ada Maddox is spending several days with Mrs. Thurman Pickett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pickett, of Cairo, visited Dorena relatives Saturday.

Misses Brunetta King and Lucy Doss made a flying trip to Hickman Saturday.

Messrs. Riley and Ted Bennett left last week to work on the dredge boat.

Misses Mayme and Hurla, of this place, visited Thurman Pickett and wife Saturday.

Mrs. Cross, of Beale, Tenn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carroll, of this place.

John Primrose and wife are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Bynasse, and sister, Mrs. Stella Hall.

Misses Pearl and Effie Bradley and brothers, Collie and Belle, are visiting friends in Graves county.

Mrs. Jim Smith and children spent several days in Hickman last week

with her father, Wm. Stoker. Mrs. J. H. Pickett and Mrs. John Maddox, of this place, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Pickett several days last week.

J. R. Luten and A. R. Capps are in St. Louis this week.

Atty. Frank Carr was here from Fulton, Monday, on business.

About 100 Fultonites attended the convention in Hickman Saturday.

M. L. and Frank Barnes left for St. Louis, Tuesday, to purchase mules.

Boys School Suits at remarkably low prices—all colors.—Sullivan Bros.

The office of the Louisville Herald, at Louisville, burned Friday. Loss about \$50,000.

Atty. Thomas, Robbins and Webb of Mayfield, were here on legal business, Monday.

We press your suit for 50c, ladies' plaid or plain skirts 50c. Cleaning and pressing at reasonable prices.—White Bros., phone 195.

Assessor Chas. Beadles was over from Fulton, Monday. Mr. Beadles is of the opinion that a man never wants his office more than one term.

Ernest Choate and wife and son, of Wingo, were the recent guests of his parents, Sabe Choate and wife. They were accompanied home by Paul Choate who will spend a few days.

Members of the State Board of Health, superintendents of the State asylums and physicians of the mountain counties where pellagra is found, held a conference at Corbin Wednesday for the purpose of arriving at conclusions concerning the disease. They declared the cause of the malady to be unknown, but cautioned the public against the use of diseased corn.

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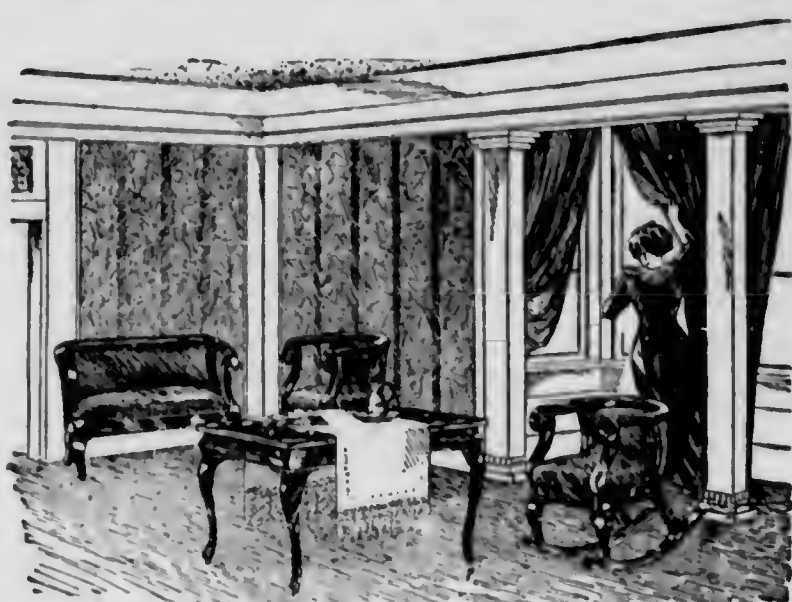
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Two Wills Probated.

A regular term of Fulton County Court was held at the Court House, Monday.

The last will and testament of R. T. Tyler was filed for probate. By the terms of the will, his wife was given the home place, all household furniture, stock, tools, truggies, etc., on the place and \$200 a month for her sole benefit, for life.

His daughters, Emma F. and Helen A. Tyler and grandson, Allison S. Tyler, are given one third of the estate, but only a life estate in all real estate. Should either of his daughters die without heirs, her share goes to her sister.

Mr. Tyler designated H. C. Rice as the Executor of the estate and trustee for the children until they are 21 years old. He is required to give bond for \$50,000 in some surety company, and the fee is to be paid out of the estate.

A. M. Tyler, by attorney, objected to the will and was granted an appeal to the circuit court.

Mrs. Tyler, wife of deceased, has renounced her share in the will and elects to take her lawful right in the estate.

The will of Mrs. Martha J. Faris was probated, and C. C. Smith, at her request, was appointed executor. The estate is worth about \$200. It was her request that \$45 be spent for a casket and \$8 for her share and that a monument be erected for herself and husband at a cost of \$100. The balance of her estate, including household goods go to her son, Jesse Faris. She also left instructions as to the burial clothes, etc.

E. C. Rice is in St. Louis

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Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co.

Mrs. McMurry Dead.

Mrs. Amanda McMurry, wife of P. H. McMurry, died at her home 4 miles north of Union City, Monday, after a long illness of cancer of the stomach.

She is survived by one daughter, Rachel and step daughter, Mrs. P. G. Browder, who resides near Fulton. Also her mother Mrs. Frances Miller, of Glass Town, who is 80 years old, four sisters—Mrs. Lou Everett, and Mrs. Belle Wilson of Union and a sister in Texas whose name we could not learn, and a twin sister, Miss Elmeranda Miller, of Glass Town.

Deceased was 46 years old and had been a faithful member of the Mt. Zion Methodist church for a number of years.

The remains were buried at Mt. Zion, Tuesday.

Liquor Bunch Loses.

In the Louisville convention, Tuesday night, after a hot fight, the Democrats of the state succeeded in getting the extension of the county and make a part of the Democratic platform. Section 13 of the platform a doped roads.

Temperance is essentially a moral non-political and social question and should not be made a partisan issue between political parties. We favor the extension of the present local option law as applied to the sale of liquor, which has been upheld by our highest court as valid and constitutional, so that the citizens of every county in the state may determine for themselves whether spirituous liquors or malt liquors may be sold there in.

This was the principal issue to be settled, and our people will be glad to learn that the whiskey gang headed by Editor Henry Watterson, lost their fight. The vote on this question was 367 to 514. Had this plank been left out of the platform, Fulton county would certainly have gone Republican.

The platform will be printed in this paper in full next week.

Kills Stepfather.

In a quarrel over difficulties that were supposed to have been settled, Tom Claude shot and killed his stepfather, named Workman, at Ridgely, Tenn., Sunday afternoon at the latter's home. They are said to have been drinking hard all morning and in the fight tore through the house and yard. The boy finally got a shot gun and fired two shots into Workman's body. Workman had only been married five weeks.

A Courier representative had the pleasure of witnessing the administration of a genuine Syrian baptismal service at the home of Faris Nafteh last Sunday afternoon. The ceremony is unlike that of ours in many respects but founded on their interpretation of the same bible we use. The feature which impressed us most was the immersion of infants, not more than six weeks old. To our surprise, the youngsters seemed to stand that ordeal even better than kids of grown ups, although they were held under the water somewhat longer than our ministers keep them. All attendants held candles the water is blessed by Rabl and oil poured upon it; after wards the children were anointed according to old bible customs and given a drink of holy water from a tiny golden spoon. The parents of the children, or guardian, are also taken through certain ceremonies binding them to certain obligations regarding the future of the child baptized. One little Hickman baby has the distinction of having been baptized according to the ancient Syrian custom.

Little William Cook, son of W. J. Cook, was struck on the head with a piece of board last Friday at noon and a gash cut above the forehead which required six stitches to close. The board was thrown in the boy by a man working at the Mengel factory. He said the youngster, who had carried a dinner to one of the men there, grabbed a piece of pie from his dinner basket and ran. The man left the same day for parts unknown.

Aviator A. Wood flew from St. Louis to Chicago, Tuesday, making far better time than the fastest express train.

The recent local showers have put crops in tip-top shape.

H. C. Darrett, funeral director and embalmer, with St. Louis Furnishing



The policy of the makers of
von Gal Made Hats

is to assure you of satisfaction in your purchase. Pre-eminent style and quality gave these hats their leadership—but behind that quality is an iron-bound guarantee. You must be satisfied as to fit, style, wear.

We will gladly show you the new styles—both soft and stiff. There is a von Gal made hat to suit every face and figure. Let us show you the new styles of these hats that are recognized as leaders throughout the nation.

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From the Fulton County Capital

The following fiduciary settlements were filed and ordered lay over 20 days for exceptions.

S. A. Wilkins, guardian for Roy Thomas.

H. T. Davis, guardian for Sherman and Sadie Hosen.

Mrs. Dora Mayes, administratrix of John D. Mayes.

The appraisement of the estate of W. H. Polakovsky was filed.

As was expected the regular delegates from Fulton county to the Louisville platform convention, was contested, the Ayers crowd also sending a delegation. As a settlement of the situation, both delegations were seated, allowing each side half their voting strength. The result was that the "rump" convention delegates, were at least enabled to kill the votes of the fake delegation, and impeded any progress the latter hoped to make. In a sense, it was a victory for the Democracy of the county.

Roy Archer Doogher, wife and little daughter returned Thursday to Rossmore, Va., after a visit to Mrs. Doogher's mother, Mrs. R. T. Tyler.

Just in—
The very latest
Red Cross Shoe
styles

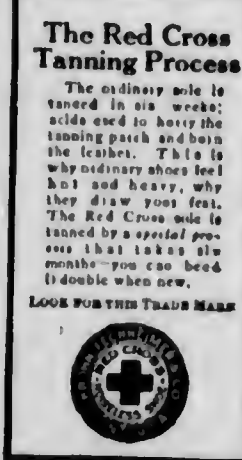


You will like the still shorter effects, the new tips, and the rich tones of the leather. The perfect taste of each Red Cross style and the extremely short appearance they give your foot, make them strikingly attractive.

Come in and get style and comfort, get both.

You may select any style you wish and wear it in perfect comfort. Tanned by the special Red Cross process, the Red Cross Shoe bends with your foot. It is this that makes it so easy to walk in. Our customers always say "How I wish I had tried this shoe before."

Come in and let us fit you.
Oxfords \$3.50 and \$4.
High Shoes \$4 and \$5.



It bends with your foot
BRADLEY & PARHAM

HERE AND THERE

R. L. Hudley was in Fulton yesterday.

A complete wedding will occur tomorrow.

John Hagan is spending a few days at home.

Alex Cobb was here on business Wednesday.

RIVER: Gauge at Cairo reads 8.1 and falling.

The third off on all points—Bradley & Parham.

A. M. Hollow has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Dan Rogers is visiting relatives at Waverly, Tenn.

Three Hickman was here from Donalson's Point Wednesday.

All points to close out at one-third off at Bradley & Parham.

Miss Rose Harper of Union City is the guest of Miss Martin Brown.

E. E. Boudinot, of near Dayton will have a public sale on Aug. 29.

Mrs. J. P. Chesick has returned from a visit to her mother at Gibbs.

Mrs. H. B. Rogers and son returned yesterday from a visit with Nashville friends.

French's show boat the New Senation is billed to show here tomorrow night.

Miss Lucile Boudinot returned Wednesday from a visit to Union City relatives.

D. M. McDermott of Clinton, representing A. E. Anderson, railroad was here last week.

WEATHER: Fair and continued warm today; showers and cooler to night or Friday.

Miss Margarette Webb and Miss Frances Smith were in Fulton City Wednesday.

J. C. Sexton and wife returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Sturgeon, Mo.

Tom Plummer, we understand has purchased the McKernan farm, a few miles east of Clinton.

Miss Lillian Shumate of Lake county, is visiting Miss Grace DeLeon at Three States.

Mrs. Emma Stephens left this morning for Unionville, Ala., to visit her niece Mrs. W. F. Barth.

Erle C. Johnson, city ticket agent of the N. C. & S. L. is spending a few days in Chattanooga.

Don't forget we are selling all in draw Oxfords except white, at just half price—Bradley & Parham.

Walter Fleming and Miss Ruby Hugg of Cypress, Hickman county, were married at Fulton Saturday.

The Misses Stahl, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. A. Noon, on, left today for Bardwell for a visit.

Miss Maude Frazier, of Haysburg, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. J. N. Provow. She will likely spend a year in school while here.

J. H. Provow closed a contract yesterday for the building of a four-room residence for Mrs. E. Case, in West Hickman.

The Central office of the Home Telephone Co. will be moved in a short time to the second story of the Davis building.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Provow, of Crystal, Tenn., spent Mrs. Provow's 45th birthday with their children last Tuesday. Mr. Provow says he feels like a sixteen year old.

Will Hubbs committed suicide at Union City Friday by shooting himself through the head. He was about 40 years old and was despondent over continued ill health.

C. P. Bacon, of route 3, one of the best looking gentlemen of our acquaintance, presented the Courier free a box of nice peaches, Tuesday. May he live long and prosper.

W. T. Grissom, of Clinton, has opened a cash grocery at Matheny's old stand in West Hickman. He proposes to do business in a business way—all goods cheaper for cash.

After an illness of about five months with acute rheumatism, Henry Vha, son of T. M. Vha, living several miles east of town, died Friday morning. He was in his 33rd year and was one of the best known young men in that part of the county. He was a member of the Masonic order and was buried Saturday at Salem, after services by Dr. J. A. Farnsworth.—Clinton, Gazette.

Courier Want Column

RATES—One Cent per Word per Week. Cash in Advance.

FOR SALE: Gentle family horse—W. Ribley 1p.

FOR SALE: Good saddle and harness horse—C. L. Rose, Hickman Route 4. 2p.

FOR SALE: A few choice lots in Rogers Addition. For particulars apply at this office.

LOST: One gold cuff button with monogram "H. L. A." Finder please return to this office or H. L. Anderson.

FOR SALE: 1 team work mules, one safe buggy mare, 2 No. 1 milk cows, also littleton seed wheat and old corn—W. H. McGhee, route 4.

FOR SALE: Three good teams and bays well located in West Hickman. Almost new. Will sell cheap and on reasonable terms.—F. M. P. Vow 1p.

FOR SALE: 117 acres land, two miles northwest of Jordan, 100 acres in cultivation, well improved. Terms to suit purchaser.—W. C. Sowell, R. Hickman 4p.

FOR SALE: at a genuine bargain one most makes refrigerator in good repair, too large for our trade. For further information address Kludis Yonnes & Co. Moscow Ky. 1p.

FOR SALE: A line of condensation and cold drinks, together with fixtures etc. splendidly located. A snap for the fellow who wants to earn a small amount. For information see J. H. Carroll 1p.

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Miss some of the sweet things in life, but don't miss the pleasures of a box of

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We have just added
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to our line. If you want a neat, durable, reasonable priced roof you will be interested in Bull Dog Roofing. For the money there is nothing half so good.

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Congress is expected to adjourn next Wednesday.

For Sale..

House and lot in West Hickman, five rooms three porches, city water in kitchen and sewer.

A four room dwelling on same lot, water in yard. New, just built 1930. Both homes are in first class condition and stand on a lot 66x136 feet. \$1200 is the price of both places for quick sale, or may be sold separately.

For further information apply to W. E. Allen, Hickman, or L. J. Allen, Kenton, Tenn.

Phone 38 for groceries.

Ask for Margaret Flour.

W. J. Thomas is on the sick list.

All the latest magazines at Fether's.

Henry Sanger was in St. Louis first of this week.

Nelson Riggs is visiting his parents at Springfield, Tenn.

For a neat job of undertaking—Hickman Furniture Co.

We know our business and do our work right—White Bros.

Noland Ivie is visiting home folks in Millersburg, Ky. this week.

L. J. C. Bondurant was in Union City Monday on business.

Fifty years guarantee on Onoda Community Silver—Hickman Hard ware Co.

E. E. Bondurant, treasurer of the Cayce Milling Co., was here on business Tuesday.

W. P. Reed of Fulton was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Naylor last week.

Miss Lucile Tipton of Tiptonville, Tenn. is the guest of Miss Lillian Christie this week.

Miss Lizzie Amburge returned Tuesday from Tiptonville where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hines, and cousins Mr. and Mrs. John K. Jackson.

No services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, as the pastor will be out of town. He will begin a series of sermons at West Union, near Memphis, next Sunday.

Water and light accounts are due and payable at our office on or before the 10th of the month. Don't wait for a collector to call—Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

Mrs. Mann, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Johnston, left Tuesday for her home in Brownsville. She was accompanied by her two grandsons, John and Leland Johnston.

J. S. Stoddard, age 59, and Mrs. Adelle Ford, age 35, both of Mississippi County, Mo., were married at the Court House Friday by Judge Naylor. This is the fourth venture of each of the parties on the matrimonial sea.

At the First Methodist church Sunday morning at 11 and at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, preaching by Rev. T. M. Wilson, President of McFerrin School, at Murfreesboro, Tenn. Sunday school at the usual hour. Services at the East Hickman chapel at 1 o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. T. W. Wilson. All are cordially invited to attend.

Heard On the Streets

Saturday night at the Lyric.

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W. L. Hohn has been on the sick list this week.

Judge Naylor and W. P. Reed, were in Tiptonville, Sunday.

John Fitzgerald left for his home near Chicago Monday.

Miss Emma Stephens is visiting relatives in Huntsville, Ala.

Illustrated Songs—Motion Pictures—Lyric Saturday Night.

Arthur Shaw, of State Line, was here Tuesday on business.

Refrigerators that will keep ice for \$12.—Hickman Furniture Co.

Hickman Furniture Co., headquarters for anything in furniture.

C. H. Cole reports the arrival of a fine girl at his home on August 8th.

Swayne Walker and Hollis Kirk went to Craig's Landing Tuesday.

Frank Van Housen, Jr., went to Louisville Tuesday night on business.

Lindsay Burns, of Jordan, was sentenced to the House of farm this week.

Fred Hadley, of Morehouse, Mo., is the guest of his brother, George Hadley.

Dr. T. H. Wingo, of Trezevant, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Spurgeon Wingo.

Fifty years guarantee on Onoda Community Silver—Hickman Hard ware Co.

Miss Dora Carpenter, who has been sick all summer, is reported in a critical condition.

For cleaning and pressing phone 195. We call for and deliver your work.—White Bros.

Mrs. N. E. Church, of Union City, was here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Martha Faris.

E. R. Ellison and wife, and Mrs. C. P. Shomate, leave on next Tuesday's boat for St. Louis, where they will spend ten days.

H. A. Jackson, of Lakeland, Fla., visited his niece, Mrs. S. N. Sweeney, last week. While here, he sold his farm in upper bottom.

Our famous Granger coffee, at 25c, is still the talk of the town. Better than lots of 25c coffees. Phone 38. Hestersworth & Prather.

We press your suit for 50c, ladies' tailored or plain skirts 50c. Cleaning and pressing at reasonable prices.—White Bros., phone 195.

Mrs. J. J. Taylor left yesterday for Rawlston to visit home folks. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Hazel Brooks, who had been her guest for several days.

Hickman Baptist Church, Sunday, Aug. 20. We invite you to worship with us. Our Sunday school opens at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 8 o'clock.—Spurgeon Wingo, Pastor.

Mrs. Jessie Dillon left Monday for Paducah, to join Capt. Roger, with her daughter on an extended trip through the west. They will visit points of interest in Colorado, Utah, Yellowstone Park, etc., and will be gone about 30 days.

Ellison Bros.

Your Money Back If Not Satisfied

That is the policy of this store. YOU must be satisfied. YOU must feel that you are getting the worth of your money, or we don't want it. And whether the transaction is little or big, your money will be cheerfully refunded you if it is not satisfactory to you.

That is what our guarantee means.

—Lee Ellison

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and we'll give you the privilege of paying for it in instalments, if you wish. I'd like to show you that Range if you are interested. And remember, your money back if you are not satisfied.

—Lee Ellison

May be 'No Man's Land.'

Wolf Island, a valuable tract of land in the Mississippi river, between Kentucky and Missouri, may be "No Man's Land." In response to an inquiry sent out several days ago by officials of the United States Land Office, a law firm in Charleston, Mo., to which the communication was referred by the recorder of Mississippi county, has advised the local government land office officials that the island did not belong to Missouri, but was the property of Kentucky. There were no records, according to the writer, to show ownership of the land by that state.

The officials of the land office some time ago received word from the Department of the Interior that this land had been ceded to Missouri, after an investigation in 1857, by an employee from the Interior Department. The officials of the department are attempting to clear up the titles to the land which have been filed with the government through the various land offices of the state. The investigation which opened the question as to the ownership of the island was brought about recently by a desire on the part of the officials to correct a mistake which had been made in the recording of a claim for a tract of land on the island by Benjamin Woodruff in 1837.

A plat of the island was found in the records of the land office, but an attempt to find the heirs of Woodruff received the reply from Charleston, the former location of one of the government land offices, that the island is the property of Kentucky.

The letter will be forwarded at once to the officials of the Department of the Interior at Washington. That steps may be taken to untangle the situation which threatens to invalidate all the titles to land on the island. Wolf Island, over which the litigation has been waged, is a tract about three miles square in the Mississippi river, between Mississippi county, Mo., and Hickman county, Ky.

On maps the island appears to be nearly in the center of the stream, but according to a report of the engineers of the Interior Department the main channel of the river is on the east side, separating the island from Kentucky.

Aged Lady at Rest.

Mrs. Martha J. Faris, age 76 years, died at her home in this city at noon Sunday. Old age was the principal cause of her death. She was the widow of "Uncle" Bob Faris, who was in the harness business here several years ago. One son, Jesse Faris, survives her. He resides at Evansville, Ind., but on account of illness could not be at his mother's bedside. If there are other relatives, we have been unable to learn of them.

Mrs. Faris resided alone. For 25

years, with the exception of a short time, she has occupied the second floor of the building in which the Courier is published. From what facts we are able to gather, she was born in Fayetteville, Tenn., her maiden name was Martha Danty. She had been married twice; at different times and places she was engaged in both millinery and hotel business, and had been active before old age overtook her. Folks who have some lacking of her past, say Mrs. Faris had a very interesting career, but we are unable to give the facts.

Her declining years, however, were pathetic, because of her loneliness, age, and physical inability; and the end

came without any of her loved ones being present. Judge B. T. Davis employed a nurse and did what he could for her during her illness.

She was a member of the Christian Church.

Funeral services were held at the church Monday at 10:30 by Eld. Horace Siberell. Burial took place at the city cemetery.

Real Estate

W. W. Meadows to C. E. Rice, S. John and R. T. Rudd, lot Fulton, \$10 and other consideration.

W. W. Meadows to C. E. Rice, lots Fulton, \$20 and other considerations.

W. W. Meadows to Mrs. Lucy Tucker, lot Fulton, \$350.

J. H. Brockman to F. M. Barnes, land, \$100 and other consideration.

R. B. Seearce to John Lusk, lot in Cayce, \$275.

W. J. Elliott to Y. A. Milner, 63 acres land, \$3307.50.

One of the Courier's good lady friends "on the hill" asks "for goodness sake" to call attention to the wilderness of weeds in that section, Gentlemen, if you have any love for the fair sex, any civic pride, any sense of beauty, any get-up-and-get, please, cut, pull, or tramp down those weeds. Shame on you for allowing the weeds to hide the sidewalk, the houses and even part of the street.

A West Hickman citizen asks us to respectfully call attention of the city council to the fact that several small lakes exist in that section of the town which are regular fever breeders—covered with a green skum so thick that a turkey can walk a cross on it; also that a number of hog pens are maintained which cause an accumulation of filth in violation of the city ordinances.

C. H. Shaw, wife and little daughter, of Greenburg, Pa., are visiting his mother near State Line. Mr. Shaw has been in Hickman this week visiting his brother, Cecil Shaw, and cousin, Hugh Ed Curlin. Mr. Shaw, well known here as Earl Shaw, is connected with a coal concern in Greenburg, Pa.

If you got a blue mark on your Courier this week, it means this is the last paper you will receive until you pay up your subscription.

Reliability

There is no other drug house that we know of that goes to more trouble and pains in selecting the best goods and in trying to find fault with its own goods than does this drug store.

We prefer that no fault be left for our customers to find.

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Lyric Saturday Night.

HERE'S the Shirt hit of the season; our

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Soft Shirt With Two Soft Military Collars to Match

You'll like this shirt; it's both comfortable and dressy; suitable for evening, business or outing wear.

Made coat style of fine silky Pongee, with soft French turnover cuffs and pocket. The dressy soft collars are made of the same fabric as the shirt and fit the neck snugly without causing discomfort; besides they're finished with genuine ocean pearl buttons and cord; no pins or hooks of any kind to bother with.

You can get this shirt in plain or fancy fabrics and in a variety of shades—white, tan, blue, pink, grey.

The price including the two collars is Two Dollars; a splendid value

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Ky. State Notes.

Frankfort.—During the interval since the last report made by the state banks of Kentucky, nine banks have been closed by order of the state banking department, and two more are in process of liquidation. There are now 478 banks in Kentucky, counting the two which are being liquidated. This is nine less than the number of state banks in existence on April 12. Since September, 1910, thirty state banks have been closed, and it is believed that the weaker ones have been thinned out. Since April 12, when the last reports were called for, three new banks have been organized.

Secretary of State Bruner states that his reports of the 478 state banks and trust companies for July showed total assets of \$104,942,433.37. The total assets for June 2, 1907, were \$101,924,198.78; October 2, 1909, \$100,629,219.62; June 30, 1910, \$104,265,254.73, showing that the assets have gained nearly \$700,000 during the last year.

The increase seems small, but Secretary Bruner says that it is certain now that the reports are more accurate, and that there has really been a greater increase of assets than the figures show, since the practice of padding the assets of the bank for making good reports has been eliminated with state banks, and that also thousands of dollars' worth of worthless assets have been charged off and the stockholders and directors of banks have been made to pay in the money for the worthless assets.

State Fair Clubs.

In order to make the state fair what it should be in every particular, M. C. Rankin, commissioner of agriculture, has arranged to organize a "State Fair club" in each county in the state. The work of organization will be undertaken by the county institute organizers, and the clubs will be composed of progressive farmers who will help build up the farm exhibits in the state fair. The corps of farmers' institute organizers will hold a meeting in Frankfort on August 16 to hear an address by Gov. Willson on the subject of the state fair work, and Mr. Rankin also will make a talk.

Editors To Be Solicits.

Among the newspaper men who have been nominated for representatives in the legislature are: J. R. Paxton, Lawrenceburg News; Francis H. Douglas, Danville Messenger; D. B. Thurman, Taylorsville Courier; Wallace Brown, Bardonia Standard; and Col. Green R. Keller, Carlisle Mercury. All are from Democratic districts where the nomination is equivalent to election. J. R. Catlett, of the Princeton Leader, and J. C. Graham, of the Letchfield Gazette, are hold-over Democratic senators.

Delegates Appointed.

The list of those appointed by the governor as delegates to the National Irrigation congress to be held in Chicago is: R. C. Ford, Middlesboro; W. C. Herryman, Lexington; W. L. Gordon, Madisonville; R. C. Ballard, Thurston; Peter Lee Atherton, W. H. Courtney, Milton H. Smith and R. W. Knott, Louisville; Claude M. Thomas, Paris, and A. J. Alexander, Spring Station.

Will Inspect Stock.

The horses on the farm of J. H. Hagglin, at Lexington, which are to be exported to Europe, will be examined by Drs. H. O. Moore and A. G. Abbott, representatives of the national government. These veterinarians were sent to Elmdorf by Dr. A. J. Payne to make the inspection. A certificate of good health of the horses is necessary.

Sheep Quarantine Lifted.

Under stringent rules the secretary of agriculture has directed that the quarantine for scabies in sheep placed upon the state of Kentucky is modified to allow the interstate shipment of sheep of states not quarantined for scabies in order that they may be exhibited at the Lexington fair, August 7 to 12.

Distilleries Pay \$13,000 Tax.

Three distilleries paid the state and Franklin county storage taxes due on the salt won by the state brought by Auditor James.

Two Judges Appointed.

Gov. Willson appointed V. G. Babbitt police judge of Cloverport and A. D. Ashcraft police judge of Irvington.

J. B. Wise, of Taylor county, a guard at the penitentiary, was seriously injured when a revolver fell from the holder in which he was carrying it and shot him through the right arm. The use of his arm will be greatly impaired.

Gov. Willson has designated Judge Samuel Jones, of Glasgow, as special judge of the Wolfe circuit court.

Scott M. Duncan, of Louisville, has been appointed an alternate to West Point by Senator Bradley.

There's some class to Betterworth & Prather's 25c Granger coffee. Have you tried it?

Rock-ribbed Republican Maine will soon find herself with two Democratic Senators.

I have some bottom land for sale, also some city property. Call and see us when you want to buy.—B.

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Courier's Home Circle

Where is the stream of life so dark and unpropitious that the sunshine of a happy face falling on the torrid tide will not awaken an answering gleam?

Parents often say "I live for my children." They should do more than that—they should live with their children, letting their boys and girls feel that their interests are their parents' interests also.

What is needed most of all in bringing up children is example. What they see and hear and take in by absorption in their young years, will in most cases, become the ruling traits of their lives.

A room without a couch of some sort is half furnished. Life is full of ups and downs and all that saves the sanity of the mentally jaded and physically exhausted fighter is the periodical "good cry" and momentary loss of consciousness on the sofa lounge or sofa in the sitting room.

There are times when so many of the things that distract us could be straightened out, and the way made clear, if one only had a long comfortable couch on whose soft bosom he could throw himself, loose and brainy stretch his weary frame, untroubled of tedious and tedious, close his tired eyes, relax the tension of his muscles and give his harassed mind a chance.

Woman expects men for the voice of life. She is seldom a leader in any project, but needs her peculiar and best attributes as a helper. Through men executes a project, she fits ideas for it, beginning in his childhood. A man discovered America, but a woman equipped the voyage, an every where man executes the performance, but the woman trains the man.

Shovel your saloon money, theater money, shooting gallery money, risk money, tobacco money, into the bank and gather something to beautify and render more pleasant the sweetest place on earth—home.

People wonder why the boys want to leave the farm and try their fortunes in the city. There is little wonder when the matter is looked into. You little effort is made to make the home from which the boys want to run away, attractive. The almighty dollar too often gets in the way. Boys are not wild animals, they do not need pounding because they do not do their work as well as older persons.

Henry Ward Beecher once said "I think I am more grateful to God for mother and sisters of the substantial integrity, purity and nobility of womanhood, than for almost anything else in this world. After a long life I can say that I have not lost faith in women. The longer I live the more I value in my regard for them. I should look upon it as a fatal blunder in my soul if I fell from my confidence in the general trustworthiness, honesty, honor and charity of womanhood. Therefore, when I hear young men, or men in middle life, or old men, cast gross aspersions on the character of women, I feel as if I were in a den of hissing serpents."

Home life is the sure test of home character. Let the husband grow cross and surly, and the wife grow cold and unamiable. The children grow cross and savage as young bears. The father becomes sulky, peevish, hard kind of a two-legged brute with clothes on. The wife bristles in self-defense. They develop an unnatural growth and sharpness of teeth and the house is haunted by ugliness and domestic brawls. This is not what the family circle should be. If one must be rude to any, let it be to some one he does not love—not his wife, brother or parents.

There are certain young men in this human who need to learn that labor is honorable, and the idle are those who will not work. Get you a home. Fence a field and plow it and plant it, and gather around you the comforts of home. And when you have made a character for energy and thrift, ask some young lady to share your home with you. We would say to every young lady, mark those men who are lounging around attempting to live by their wits, or on the interest of their debts; and when they ask you to share the lot of an aimless life, pass them on, for you cannot afford to marry a man without prosperity or business habits, unless you wish to sell yourself for a means of pottage.

HERE AND THERE

Mrs. West spent Sunday in Tippecanoe.

Miss Ruby Fleming was in Union City Friday.

Wiley Cummings went to Moscow, Sunday.

D. Spaulding, of Union City, was here Sunday.

Sgt. Salmon, Jr., has accepted a position in the post office.

Reception Room Furniture St. Louis Furnishing Co. "sells it for less."

We will save you \$5 to \$10 on your fall suits—Sullivan Bros.

Don't forget we have the best line of mattresses.—Hickman Furniture Co.

Miss Ethel Naylor is visiting Mrs. Feline Reed and other friends in town.

Ice Boxes and Refrigerators.—St. Louis Furnishing Co. "sells it for less."

Just received 200 pairs of pants to be sold at factory prices—Sullivan Bros.

D. H. Lebowitz left Saturday morning for a week's visit with home folk at Lewisport, Ky.

Mrs. John Pyle, who has been in for three weeks with typhoid, is reported convalescing.

Mrs. Carl Schmidt returned Sunday from a visit to Fulton with her mother, Mrs. George Jones.

Miss Helen of Jackson, Tenn., has accepted a position as stenographer with the Industrial League.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Harrison of Granite City, Ill., are here the guests of Misses Marie and Homer Green.

"Bread to Old Kentucky" high priced Margaret flour. Better than others but costs no more.—Batterworth & Prather.

Don't forget to renew your subscription to the Courier. The paper stops when the time is out—no exceptions.

Leroy Clark and E. M. Reynolds of the Mangel Office left Friday morning on a visit to their homes in Jeffersonville, Ind.

Misses Liddy and Inez Tind, of Alexander, Tenn., who have been visiting Mrs. Joe L. Amburg, left Sunday morning to visit friends in Mayfield, Ky.

Hugh Martin, Sr., of Woodland, who has had typhoid fever for several weeks and suffered a relapse last week, being very low for several days, is reported improving again.

The Mangel Box Company had a barge, loaded with 130,000 feet of logs at Island No. 10, sink on Friday morning of last week. Capt. Tully went down on Friday evening, and succeeded in raising the barge with the Mangel Derrick at that point. All of the logs, excepting about 35 or 40 were saved, being caught down the river as far as New Madrid.

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The home influence is either a blessing or a curse, either for good or for evil. It cannot be neutral. In either case it is mighty, commencing with our birth; going with us through life, clinging to us in death, and reaching into the eternal world. The specific influences of husband and wife, of parent and child, of brother and sister, of teacher and pupil united and home influence. Like the calm, deep stream it moves on in silent but overwhelming power. It strikes its roots deep into the human heart, and spreads its branches wide over an whole being. Like the lily that thrives the tempest and "the Alpine flower that leans its cheek on the bosom of eternal snow," it is exalted amid the wildest storms of life and breathes a softening spell in our bosom even when a heartless world is freezing up the fountains of sympathy and love.

SEE THE AIRSHIP!

AT THE FULTON COUNTY FAIR
FIVE BIG EVENTFUL DAYS AT
FULTON, KY., AUGUST 29
TO SEPT. 2.

Thousands of People Will Witness
the Daily Aeroplane Flights,
Horse Races and Other
Attractions.

GREATEST OF ALL FAIRS.

Everybody is going to attend the Fulton County Fair at Fulton, Ky., Aug. 29 to Sept. 2, because the Fulton people have spent more than \$15,000 on their fair grounds and in securing attractions never witnessed at any fair in this section of the country before. Among the attractions will be seen the great aeroplane flights, a marvel of the twentieth century. To secure this attraction alone cost more than \$1,000 and it is one of the most sensational and daring feats of modern times to see a man traveling through the air faster than a passenger train can run. No one can afford to miss seeing the birdman fly. That is why everybody will go to the Fulton County Fair.

Again, there will be four big races daily. The greatest array of running, trotting, and pacing horses are already on the grounds in training and the large purses are very attractive.

The Floral Hall exhibit will be an attractive feature, as well as a magnificent display of fine stock in the show rings. Good music all the time. Lots of shade, large amphitheatre. Everything to make one comfortable.

Make arrangements now to meet your friends at the Fulton County Fair, Aug. 29 to Sept. 2. They will all be there, and by all means don't fail to see the great airship with 98 passengers flying thousands of feet in the air. It will be a great sight and maybe you will not have such an opportunity again.

The Fair Company has arranged with the railroads for special low rates for all and you can attend the Fulton County Fair at a very small cost.

The Other Side.

From Monday's Fulton Leader we clip the following report of the convention held here Saturday, which shows that the Leader is a great joker:

"The Democratic County Convention was held at Hickman Saturday to select delegates to the State Convention which convenes in Louisville tomorrow (Tuesday) and was almost a unanimous affair.

"The motion of Hon. H. T. Smith, Col. Matt Ayers, chairman of the County Committee, was made chairman of the convention and called the meeting to order.

"John Dillon was made secretary.

"The county unit bill was endorsed and the chairman appointed a large list of delegates to the Louisville convention. The meeting then adjourned.

"After the regular convention had adjourned a ramble convention was then held, led by Dr. Joe Luten and others after all the rest had left and nobody has ever been able to learn what they did."

Marriage Licenses

The following were granted license to marry in Obion County last week:

Bob Turner and Alice Richards,
A. L. Foster and Esther Cherry,
Olga Crabtree and Bertha Boyett,
H. P. Foster and Bernice Burnett,
Thomas E. Marshall and Evelyn Laura Hyman.

One by one they drop out of line. The Mayfield Mirror, a local paper which has been published in that city for a quarter of a century, has suspended, leaving the field to Lemon's paper, the Messenger. Even then, Billie Lemon will not get rich. The newspaper business is not the snap now that it once was.

There's only one tailor in Hickman—Phone 138 for cleaning and pressing—Schmidt, the Tailor.

Lige Hixon was here from near Tiptonville, Saturday.

Heard On the Streets

Saturday Night—The Lyric.

Sheet Music at Fethe & French's.

Percy Jones returned from Dawson, Saturday.

J. T. Dillon left Sunday night for Louisville.

All the leading magazines at Fethe & French's.

Margaret Flour, none better.—Battersworth & Prather.

For a neat job of undertaking—Hickman Furniture Co.

J. H. Russell came in from Memphis, Saturday, for a short visit.

Horn, Tuesday August 8th, to the wife at J. A. Moore, at Louisville, a fine girl.

Meet your friends at the Lyric Saturday night. Good pictures at popular prices.

Frank Smith returned Friday from Clinton where he has been visiting for the past two weeks.

O. Herwick left Sunday for Mengelwood, where he will look after some work for the Mengel Box Co.

T. M. French, L. P. Ellison and A. M. Tyler, of Hickman, were in the city Thursday.—Mayfield Messenger.

Chas. Melr returned to his home in New Madrid, Saturday, after a short visit with old Hickman friends.

The Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Company and the Peters Shoe Company, of St. Louis, will consolidate with a capital of \$200,000.

Lewis Nailling is here from Osceola, Ark., the guest of H. W. Tull and other Hickman friends. Mr. Nailling left Hickman about ten years ago.

The department of Education has just completed the per capita tabulation for the counties of the State. The figures are subject to revision but changes are not likely to be made. The per capita for Carlisle county is \$4.45; Ballard \$4.48; Hickman \$4.45; Graves \$4.49; Fulton \$4.54; McCracken \$4.46.

Mrs. J. M. Roper, of near State Line, presented the Conifer force a basket of fruit, Friday, for a klug. Although we have had the pleasure of sampling some very fine peaches from the orchards of Fulton county, Mrs. Roper is entitled to the blue ribbon in our "fine peach contest." She is certainly a lady after our own heart.

When you yawn a good deal in the daytime, feel dull, heavy and want to stretch frequently it is an unmistakable symptom of malaria, and unless you do something at once you are hooked for a spell of chills. MALARIA is a chill medicine that will prevent or cure the disease. It drives out the impurities on which the malarial germ thrives, strengthens the liver and cleanses the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. 5

T. C. Berry, of Woodland Mills, informs us of a trip recently made by a party of citizens of his section. Says they found a very desirable section near Okolona, down the M. & O., and quite a number purchased homes. John C. Pruett, T. C. Berry and J. M. Honeycutt all made purchases and will move to Okolona sometime about the first of the coming year.

Special attention is called to the statement of the Hickman Building & Loan Association which will be found in this issue. They have 2209 shares in force and assets aggregating \$34,966.62. This institution was organized almost a quarter century ago, and has in its capacity of home-building, done much for Hickman, as well as those who have invested money in it. It is the poor man's friend; helping the man who is willing to help himself. Few associations of this kind are making as good showing, and Mayor Dillon, the "old reliable" secretary is entitled to a large lump of the credit for its success.

The U. S. Snagboat Macomb has been for several days past in the vicinity of Medley and Bird's Point dragging old rock, piling, stumps, and removing the wreck of the old Iron Mountain and Cotton Belt inclines that were washed into the river during the past three years. Some piling of the old incline are now found in the channel of the river. The bank for the entire reach of Bird's Point bend is to be cleared preparatory for re-vestment work to be laid for the protection of the bank on the Missouri side. Construction crews are preparing to begin work the latter part of this month. It is announced that the railroad company will rebuild the incline at Bird's Point when the government work has been completed.

Think About It Now!



A little early, perhaps, but the stove season will soon be here, and we want to say in advance that we have

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Special Notice.

My son, Henry Roan, who is under 21 years of age, has left my home and I hereby notify all persons who may employ him that I shall collect by legal process any money that may be due for his hire. I also hereby give notice that I shall not be responsible for any debts he may contract.—J. J. Rone. Aug 17

Miss Nannie Matheny left Saturday for New Madrid, Mo., to visit Miss Rosa May Mier, daughter, of Chas. Mier.

Save from \$1 to \$2 a thousand on your shingles by buying direct from mill.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

City Taxes Now Due.

City Taxes are now due. The penalty goes on Sept. 1st. Better pay now and save extra costs.—Tom Dillon, Collector.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR. It reduces the feverish condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c, 50c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. 4

Who'd a thought it? Coal in Ballard county! But it's the truth. Something like a four-foot vein of fine coal has been struck on the Lee farm near Blandville.

A Mammoth Ship.

Some facts concerning the Olympic, the White Star liner, the largest and most luxurious ship afloat which recently arrived in New York on her maiden trip.

Largest plates employed in the hull are 36 feet long.

Rudder, operated electrically weighs 100 tons.

There are more than 2,000 windows. There are 3,000,000 rivets, weighing 1,200 tons.

There is an eighteen-hole golf course with hazards under the life-boat.

There is a tennis and handball court extending through two decks and is 30 feet long.

There are Turkish and electric baths and a salt water swimming pool of sufficient depth to permit diving.

There are glass-enclosed decks, a la carte restaurant, palm garden, veranda and a maître's and valets' saloon.

It has accommodations for 3,356 persons—750 in the first class, 550 in the second, 1,200 in the third, with 63 officers and sailors, 322 engineers, firemen, oilers, trimmers and machinists and 471 in the commissary department.

Length of passage was 5 days 16 hours 42 minutes.

The coal consumption of her 150 furnaces is 800 tons a day.

Less than \$20,000 of the \$100,000 appropriated to run down the murderers of William Goebel was spent by the commission appointed to manage the fund. The commission has turned back into the Treasury \$1,003.67, being the remainder of \$20,000 which was drawn by the commission. The total amount spent by the commission in unraveling the mystery which followed the shooting was \$18,996.33, and there remains in the treasury of the \$100,000 appropriated \$81,003.67, which has been unexpended, although available. The commission made its final report to the Auditor and asked to be finally discharged.

Swayne Walker came up Sunday night from Craig's Landing.

Will Davis and wife and four sons, of Union City, were here Sunday. Mr. Davis formerly resided here and is well known to many Hickman people.

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Train will leave Hickman 7:10 a. m.

Returning—Tickets will be good on any regular train to and including No. 54, leaving Nashville at 2:15 p.m. Saturday, August 19th, 1911.

See R. B. JOHNSON, Agent.



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Administrator's Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of Mary Hinton, deceased, are hereby notified to file same with me in proper form on or before the 1st day of September, 1911, or he forever barred.—Goadler Johnson, Administrator. Aug 24

Apply a cotton cloth wet with BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT to all wounds, cuts, burns, sores or blisters, and note its wonderful healing power. It is prompt and very effective. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Teachers' Institute.

The Fulton County Teachers' Institute will be held at Hickman August 28th.

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The KITCHEN CABINET



There are three kinds of people in the world, the wife, the woman and the girl. The first accomplishes everything, the second opposes everything, the third fails in everything.

Delightful Southern Dishes.

A history of some of these old southern dishes affording a glimpse into old creole hospitality makes interesting reading. The following recipes are a few of the many that make creole cookery famous.

The greatest difficulty in getting a southern dish to taste natural is the fault of the measurements. The old cooks had no standard of measurement and in passing on a recipe to another the results were never very uniform.

Chaurice.—This is a distinctive creole sausage and the nicest and most highly flavored of all sausages. Chop four pounds of lean and two pounds of fat fresh pork. Season highly with salt, white pepper, cayenne, and sweet red peppers. This seasoning distinguishes the creole sausage from the more common variety. Chaurice must be seasoned very hot. Mince two large onions and a clove of garlic fine, add to the meat, then the following portion of herbs and spices, the herbs minced fine: One sprig of thyme, three sprigs of parsley, two bay leaves, two teaspoonfuls of cayenne, one teaspoonful of chopped sweet pepper, two teaspoonfuls of white pepper, three teaspoonfuls of salt, one-half a teaspoonful of allspice. Mix all together and fill the casings.

Chaurice is fried for breakfast and served garnished with parsley. A few chaurice thrown into the kettle with boiling cabbage or beans add greatly to the flavor.

Creole Jambalaya.—This is a Spanish-Creole dish, which is a great favorite in New Orleans. Cut one pound of fresh pork into pieces half an inch square. Chop two onions very fine and mince two cloves of garlic and two sprigs each of thyme and parsley and a bay leaf. Put a tablespoonful of butter into a sauce pan and add the onions and pork; stir frequently. When slightly brown add a slice of ham chopped fine, the garlic and an eighth of a teaspoonful of ground cloves. Cook for five minutes, then add a dozen chaurice and cook five minutes longer. Add three quarts of beef stock and cook ten minutes. Add a cup and a half of mashed rice, pepper and salt and cayenne to taste, stir often and serve hot.

Nellie Maxwell

Turnip seed—in bulk—for fall sowing just received.—Bettsworth & Prather.

Parrot Frightened Burglar.

The cries of Oliver Twist, a South American parrot, which was awakened the other morning by a thief prowling in the home of his mistress, Mrs. M. Osburn of San Francisco, while she was absent, frightened away the burglar after he had gathered up articles worth \$23. The watchfulness of Oliver, however, probably will result in his martyrdom, as the thief, angered at the interruption of his work, seized the bird by the neck and twisting it cruelly, flung him through a mirror in the dining-room. When Mrs. Osburn returned, Oliver was found on the floor in an exhausted condition, while an open rear door and the condition of the room gave evidence of the burglar's hasty flight.

Go carts, hammocks and porch swings.—St. Louis Furnishing Co. "sells it for less."

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The Courier's Weekly Sermon
By PASTOR RUSSELL
SUBJECT

NO! TROUBLED HEARTS!

THE MASTER SPEAKETH

Balm For Wounded Hearts, Comfort For Sorrowing Ones.

PASTOR RUSSELL'S
SERMON YESTERDAY.



Aug. 12.—Pastor Russell of Brooklyn Tabernacle took for his text today the words of Jesus, "Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in Me" (John xiv. 1). As usual there was a good crowd and closest attention. He said in part:—

"The world does well to keep up a cheerful outward demeanor. Nevertheless, there is great force and weight to St. Paul's words to the effect that the whole creation is groaning and travailing in pain together waiting for 'Messiah's Kingdom' and his long promised blessings, to lift the curse of sin and death and to restore to mankind the smile of the Father's favor. Reason though they may that there is no personal God—that there is merely a blind god of nature, an evolutionary force, nevertheless, deep down in the heart, men believe that there is a God. Almost unconsciously the mind attributes to Him Wisdom, Justice and Power—but little of love or sympathy with humanity and its frailties.

This very intuitive knowledge of God is closely associated with many human troubles. As the root of nearly every trouble, perhaps deep below the surface, is sin—disobedience to recognized principles of righteousness, and a fearful looking for of retribution, and an uncertainty as to what it will mean. This is true, not only of many Christians, but frequently true of others who have made no profession.

A World of Troubled Hearts.

This troubled heart-condition does not always show upon the surface. Sometimes the troubled heart seeks the theatre to try to forget its troubles. Sometimes its owner is immersed in sinful pleasure-seeking in endeavor to drown some haunting grief. Sometimes relief is sought through intoxicating liquors or narcotics; sometimes in suicide. One cannot surely know that the merry laugh or witty joke or cheery song do not come from a troubled heart. We are sure that they do, in many instances, for frequently those who have been indulging in merriment have committed suicide a few minutes thereafter, leaving messages that their hearts have been heavily burdened, while outwardly cheerful.

We have much sympathy with these sorrow laden hearts. As a race we are walking 'through the valley of

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Pale-faced, weak, and shaky women—who suffer every day with womanly weakness—need the help of a gentle tonic, with a building action on the womanly system. If you are weak—you need Cardui, the woman's tonic, because Cardui will act directly on the cause of your trouble. Cardui has a record of more than 50 years of success. It must be good.

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the shadow of death" day by day. On every hand we have reminders of this grief—disappointment, headache, heartache, etc. If we are measurably free from pain ourselves, yet have sympathy, we are pained for others.

In our troubles we, sooner or later, realize the lack of human sympathy or at least, its impotency. Feeling our helplessness we instinctively look to our Creator. In the hour of trouble remarkably few doubt the existence of God.

Losing Our Heart Troubles.

The Father knows your heart troubles. He wishes the burden to be there until you appreciate its weight—until you will be ready to cry to Him that you are shakely, weary, troubled and above all, hungering and thirsting for righteousness and desiring recognition to Him the smile of His Face. He has not waited for all of this to take place before making provision for you. He has anticipated your needs, your longings, your necessities. He has already provided the Redeemer who is mighty to save. Believe that Divine Love as represented in the Redeemer sent of God, is omnipotent, boundless, sufficient for all your needs. If you will accept of the Divine arrangement through Christ, your heart troubles may be at an end. You will still have troubles in the flesh—weaknesses, aches and pains, but your heart will be joyful and happy in a fellow-ship Divine.

You need not go to any earthly priest but, as the Master said, go to the Father in secret. Go not in your own name or merit, but in the merit of the Redeemer. Go Scripturally, claiming Him as your Advocate and appealing in His Name for forgiveness provided by Divine mercy—to cover all the sins of the past and provide for all the imperfections unwisely yours for the future, even to the end of the way. Coming thus, Jesus becomes your Priest, your Advocate. "We have an Advocate with the Father Jesus Christ the Righteous" (1 John ii. 1). Let us "come with courage to the Throne of grace that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in every time of need" (Hebrews iv. 16).

We cannot give this message to the entire world at present, even as Jesus could not do so. These must await the inauguration of the glorious Kingdom of Messiah soon to be ushered in, when "every blind eye shall be opened and every deaf ear unstopped."

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Hickman Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information.

When your back gives out; becomes lame, weak or aching; When urinary troubles set in; Your kidneys are "in a bad way." Don't delay—use Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is good evidence of their worth. J. J. Owen, 113 E. North St., Mayfield, Ky., says: "I suffered severely from backache, particularly if I stooped, and at night I could not rest on account of the pain in my loins. I longed to get rid of the trouble, but was unable to do so until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. In a short time this remedy entirely relieved me of the annoying backache." (Statement given in July, 1903.)

CONFIRMED PROOF.

On May 14th 1907, Mr. Owen was interviewed and said: "What I stated through our Mayfield newspapers in the summer of 1903 about Doan's Kidney Pills still holds good. During the four years which have since elapsed there has been no recurrence of my trouble and in view of this fact, I again highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Rev. Simpson Weaver, age 88, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will Waggoner, at Fulton, Saturday morning. He had been a member of the Methodist conference for more than a half century, and was probably the oldest minister in this section.

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—INCORPORATED—

W. P. Taylor Dead.

W. P. Taylor, who served this county as county clerk for more than fifteen years, died at his home in Fulton, Sunday morning at 10:30. He suffered a stroke of paralysis at 3:30 Sunday morning which resulted in his death a few hours later.

At the time of his death William P. Taylor was 65 years old.

He was born in Lukedon on February 2, 1846 and grew into young manhood in that community.

When but a young man, on Jan. 2, 1867, he was united in marriage to Miss Mildred A. Wilson, and the young people came to Fulton to make their home. This life long companion passed away about two years ago.

In 1882 he was elected as county clerk of this county and served in that capacity for fifteen years. He was afterwards elected as Master Commissioner of the Circuit Court and also served a number of years.

Mr. Taylor was a member of the Ancient, Odd Fellows, Knights of Honor, the Knights and Ladies of Honor, having been a member of these lodges for many years. He was a life long member of the Methodist church.

Surviving Mr. Taylor are one sister, Miss Lou Taylor, two brothers, Benjamin R. M. Taylor, of Eddyville, and Judge H. E. Taylor, of this city, also two daughters, Mrs. J. P. Royce, and Mrs. H. R. Davis, of Fulton, Texas.

The funeral services were held at the residence, Dr. W. T. Bolling, at the First Methodist church, following the sermon.

He had many friends in Hickman who will be sorry to learn that he is no longer among the living. He was a good man.

Teachers' Exam.

Teachers' examination will be held at the Court House in Hickman, Aug. 18 and 19.

The examination for colored teachers will be held August 25 and 26.—Virginia Luten, Supt.

Progressive Citizens.

In fact everyone these days, seeks to save time and the telephone is the greatest timesaver that has ever been invented. It is instantaneous. You can send and receive your message at the same time. It brings distant cities and towns within your reach almost instantly. It connects you locally with everyone of prominence. If you have not a telephone at the center of the entire Bell system, connecting with over five million telephones and every important city and town in the United States.—Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, Incorporated.

The KITCHEN CABINET

THERE is a spot of earth so precious, sweeter spot than all the rest; Where shall that land, that spot of earth be found? Ah! thou shalt find it where'er thy footsteps roam. That land, thy country, and that spot thy home.

French Dishes.

So deeply rooted and grounded are we in the belief that French cookery is the sine qua non of that art that the impression lingers after the fact has been demonstrated that though France knows much, she does not know all. Mark Twain, who appreciated a good dinner and had also the courage of his convictions, wrote in his pleasing way, of the ordinary dinner, served as it is in Europe by the French cook:

"The European dinner is better than the European breakfast, but it has inferiorities; it does not satisfy." We must admit, however, that the French have distanced us in matters of economy. They look with dismay upon the huge roasts and steaks which are found on many American tables.

Onion Soup With Eggs and Cream.

This is a delicious soup. Fried six white onions, cut fine, and take a light brown in a tablespoonful of butter. Then add a quart of boiling water and one pint of milk, season with a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper, a pinch of mace and a teaspoonful of sugar. Cook slowly for an hour and strain; then beat four eggs to a foam, add a cupful of cream, and one tablespoonful of cornstarch mixed with a little cold water; cook for a few minutes to remove the raw taste of the cornstarch, then add the eggs, as the soup must not be boiled after the eggs are added, as that will curdle the soup.

Cream Fritters.

Take one quart of milk, one cup of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, a half teaspoonful of salt, a cup of blanched and chopped almonds, flavor with orange. Scald the milk, add a tablespoonful of cornstarch mixed with a little cold milk. Add the sugar, butter and salt and cook ten minutes. Then add six well-beaten eggs, spread an inch thick in a buttered pan and cook. When firm cut in strips an inch wide and three inches long; roll carefully in fine crumbs, dip in beaten egg and fry in deep fat. Drain on paper and serve hot.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Maggie Randle Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Jessie Ransford, of Fulton, district organizer, will be present and address the ladies on the subject of Missions. All members are requested to be present.

Baxter Brawner was fined \$10 and costs by Judge Naylor this week for disturbing worship at Beech Grove, Sunday night, Aug. 6.

Domestic Coal, all grades, from \$2.50 up. Phone 185.

Cayce News.

Mrs. Lon McCallan is very sick at this writing.

Miss Clara McConell is visiting the Misses Johnson.

Mrs. Oun Branham was a visitor in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Naylor visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Cornelius Hondurant and wife went to Fulton Monday.

Miss Fannie Linder visited Mrs. Pauline Mayfield last week.

Mrs. Vera Bradley, of Columbus, visited Mrs. Maggie Mays last week.

Miss Emma Wright visited her brother Chester a few days last week.

Miss Katie Miller, of near Fulton, visited Miss Jessie Wall last week.

Mr. J. R. Haynes and J. Wray, of Union City, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Roper, of Hickman visited his brother Joe Roper Sunday.

Carl Freeman and sister, Miss Lois, visited their sister Blanch Wright one night last week.

Miss Sola Roach left Sunday for her home at Corinth, Miss., after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Jessie Powell, of Oakton, visited her mother, Mrs. Henry Burrus, a few days last week.

Boone Johnson is at home again after several weeks stay at Shannon, Miss., where he was employed in a telegraph office.

Ned Atteberry, Joe Wall, Hubert and Bob Johnson went on the excursion to Nashville Friday returning Sunday morning.

Rev. A. M. Wess, of Memphis, Tenn., who has been holding a revival meeting here, left Tuesday. Brother Wess is a fine revivalist and we hope to see him leave so soon. Bro. Wood will continue the meeting.

Stanley Means, the young farmer, who murdered Jesse Workman, an aged man near Dresden a few months ago, was convicted in Judge Jones' court Saturday and was sentenced to hang, the date of execution being set for Friday, September 29.

J. R. Brooks, of Greenfield, Tenn., was here Tuesday looking for a residence. Mr. Brooks will open a new jewelry store in the Montgomery building the latter part of next week. He expects to move his family here in a short time.

A bill making it a misdemeanor for a woman to wear in church a hat more than two feet wide was introduced into the Georgia legislature by Senator Edwards. That would be a good law.

Mrs. Jno. Ray left yesterday for Fulton to visit relatives.

HERE AND THERE

Saturday Night—The Lyric.

Sheet Music at Fethe & French's.

Cotton picking will begin in a few days.

All the leading magazines at Fethe & French's.

Cue Threlkeld has been on the sick list this week.

Sun Bros. circus will exhibit in Hickman, Sept. 18th.

Margaret Flour, none better.—Bottersworth & Prather.

H. G. Hale returned Sunday from a business trip to Nashville.

McKee Johnson left Tuesday for Nashville to spend a few days.

J. M. Linn, of near State Line, will move to Hickman this week to reside.

Miss Azile Ray has returned from a visit to friends in Brighton, Ark.

E. R. Ellison, wife and Mrs. C. P. Shumate are in St. Louis this week.

Meet your friends at the Lyric Saturday night. Good pictures at popular prices.

Doyle Journey, Ed Smith, Geo. Bradberry and Tom Fields spent Sunday in Tiptonville.

Mrs. Alex. Barnes and children have returned from a month's visit at Three States.

E. C. Johnson is home from a pleasure trip to Chattanooga and other points in east Tennessee.

Save from \$1 to \$3 a thousand on your shingles by buying direct from mill.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

Mrs. R. L. Bradley and son, Mark, are home from Charleston, Ill., where they have been visiting relatives.

T. A. Ledford is digging a half mile ditch through his farm near Big Slough, preparatory to tiling and draining.

Who is your clothes doctor? No better place than White Bros. We know our business, do our work well and guarantee satisfaction. What more do you want.

Gen. Tyler has returned from St. Louis, where he spent two weeks under treatment of an ear specialist. The General's hearing had become worse than usual, but he was greatly benefited by the St. Louis specialist.

W. J. Hannon, Tom Berry, Marion Hunnycut, and Luther Maddox returned from a prospecting trip in the vicinity of Okolona, Miss., Sunday. They were delighted with Okolona and the surrounding farm lands, and may locate at that place.

Route 1.

Farmers are plowing wheat.

A protracted meeting is now in progress at Antioch church, near Crys tal, Tenn.

R. W. DePriest, wife and daughter, of Fresno, Cal., are visiting her parents, R. E. Polk and wife, on route 1.

Crops are looking very good since the rains and a much better yield is assured than seemed possible during the dry weather.

J. H. Gray is building another large barn. Mr. Gray is a splendid farmer and believes in making arrangements for caring for all farm products.

D. H. Toombs is doing some good road improvement near Coombs' Springs. When it comes to fixing culverts and bridges Dan can lay a pattern that is worth copying.

A. J. Walker, carrier on route 6, has begun the erection of a new residence on the lot recently purchased from C. I. Hagan. He intends moving his family from Clayton just as soon as completed.

J. A. Townsend, P. C. McMullin have just put in new gasoline engines to pump water, grind corn, etc. They invite friends and neighbors to come and have a drink of fresh pure water. Mr. Townsend offers something very fine as he has just finished a new well 229 feet deep.

Uncle Peter McMullin and family, together with his three sons, Henry, Jim and Calvin, and families, had a family reunion at the home of G. L. Collins, Sunday. The best thing on the program was the splendid dinner prepared by Mrs. Collins, who is a niece of Mr. McMullin.

Farmers are asking what the cotton situation will be in Hickman this fall. Frankly, we do not know. But we do know that Hickman dealers can pay as much as any other cotton buyers, and it should be done. An effort should be made to bring all of the cotton in this section to Hickman.

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Leave Hickman.....2:00 p. m.
Arrive Dyersburg.....5:00 p. m.
Leave Hickman.....9:00 a. m.
Arrive Hickman.....12:00 noon
Leave Dyersburg.....5:30 p. m.
Arrive Hickman.....8:30 p. m.
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HICKMAN, KY.

Friday morning Mrs. B. T. Davis entertained in honor of her guests, Misses Goff and King. Rook, music and cooling refreshments with the pleasure of meeting her charming guests made the morning with Mrs. Davis a very pleasant one.

It is high time the commercial club was getting down to business. We are letting some of our neighboring towns "run under" us with factories that should be located at Hickman. This is a strictly business proposition and we should wake up to its importance.

Miss Goff, of Chevy Chase School for young ladies, Washington, D. C., and Miss King, of Corydon, Ky., visited Mrs. B. T. Davis last week.

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Courier's Home Circle

Many of us miss the joys that might be ours by keeping our eyes fixed on those of other people. No one can enjoy his own opportunities for happiness while he is envious of another's. We lose a great deal of the joy of living by not cheerfully accepting the small pleasures that come to us every day.

The man and woman who try to make their home the most interesting spot on earth for each other, and for their friends and those who are near and dear to them, have but occasional use for the club. It is to them, like the theatre, a pleasant place to enter now and then but not a spot to dwell in.

The world is full of women who can amuse the ordinary man. Can sing dance or recite for him; can paint write or decorate in a manner most pleasing, but the poor man often goes begging for a woman who can sew on buttons or mend his clothes; who can cook his food with economy and flavor it to his taste.

The children whose horizon is a brick wall, who must play on cobble stones and go swimming in the canal and be chased by the police, if they do not grow up to be ideal citizens, shall we of hollower memories sit in judgement upon them? Shall we not remember the weight they carry in the race of life and be thankful we live in this beautiful country of ours?

Some courage is needed to be natural and a higher kind of courage, too, than that which marches behind the safe end of a gun. That moral courage which is not intimidated by appearance nor cowed by custom is a finer article than the darling of the speculator, or the steady nerve of the soldier in physical peril. It takes bravery of the best stamp to be true to oneself.

Would that our charities could strike deeper, seek to humanize as well as feed, encourage and reanimate as well as clothe. We are all of us apt to gather our skirts about us, hold our noses and avert our eyes while we hand out our garments and our bread. Blessed be the soul that is inspired enough to go down into the shadows and lend a helping hand. To be very poor, and yet carry a clear life and keep alive ambition and hope as like seeking to set a white rose growing in the bosom of a coal pit.

The school boy could really learn the lesson that the ripest, biggest cherries are the top and that blue out of ten of his fellows will be crowding for places to pick around the base of the tree where the small, wormy fruit grows. There is plenty of room at the top; there are plenty of cherries growing there. The tedious fruit is ready for the picking and over smiles a welcome to the hustler to climb up and obtain possession. The best things in life require considerable effort to get, and that's why the strongest men and women have them.

It is not pleasant to record the truth that there are mothers, who have sacrificed motherhood to worldly ambition, and the most happy women on earth are those who have set aside filial ties in order to live lives of social frivolity, and the time comes to all such, when the bloom of youth forsakes the cheek, and the fire of youth dies out of the eye. Such often turn to their homes for sympathy and love, only to find that they too have vanished, and when it is too late the sad truth dawns upon them that they are unloved and unloved. The path of duty is the only safe path, let it be ever so thorny, and the only safe guide-board points to the Christian home.

There should live in the depths of every human heart one warm and sunny spot where nestle the images of early love and the sweet remembrance of childhood home. The memory of those first impressions made upon the baby's mind and heart will live forever. Oh, how fleeting are days of childhood. Dear mothers, shall you permit yourselves to be so "cumbered about much serving" that the rich garden of your child's soul will be neglected with foul weeds choking out all worthy and beautiful growth?

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and national. When the homes are right the entire country will be right. The questions that affect the morals and purity of our homes are the real and vital questions. The voters who go out from moral, pure men in office who will give us honest and pure railroad and tariff regulations. All we need is moral and pure homes so as to supply us with a majority of the voters.

The home that possesses a cheerful wife and mother is not only a veritable haven of rest, but the safe harbor whose beacon light will guide her broad winners safely past all rocks and shoals with unerring certainty. The woman whose cheerful spirit can take that "brave attitude toward life" that enables her to bear courageously the inevitable burdens of her life's environment; that strengthens her determination not to fret or worry those who, for her sake, are fighting the hard battles in the world, has reached that altitude that proclaims her price above rubies; and her influence within the limits of the four walls enclose and example are not felt only she has made the unassailable bulwark of state and society, a happy home, but reach to those she knows not of.

It is the person rather than the occupation that adds dignity to labor. There are those who can beautify the most menial occupation or service and there are others who can degrade the most honorable calling.



Hickman Chapter.

Hickman Chapter, No. 46 will hold a special meeting on Thursday, Aug. 24, 1911, at 7:30 p. m. Work in R. A. Degree.

The following spent a most enjoyable afternoon at Dorena, supper on the ground being enjoyed by all: Rev. S. J. Mensa and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thredkeld, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Moore, Mrs. James Stahl, Mrs. John Dillon, Mrs. Schroeder, of Louisville, Misses Carrie and Mildred Runge, Annie Sherron, Maggie Sherron, Gertrude, and Mosses, Hugo and John Poth. We have yet to hear from those owning watermelon patches in that vicinity.

Fifty years gnamtee on Onelda Community Silverware.—H. Hidw. Co.

NEW FRENCH TOYS.

Not long ago M. Lepine, the prefect of police, organized an annual toy competition, and the top that wins a prize becomes, so they say, hall-marked and is certain to attract attention.

The chief feature this season is called Le Circuit de l'Est, thus named after the great aeroplane race through France a few months ago. It is very cleverly contrived and shows a biplane and a monoplane revolving at a great speed around a church steeple.

Another contrivance, half toy, half race game, consists of four aeroplanes turning round a mast and rising one above the other. It contains the genuine sporting element. I noticed, too, that wild beasts are plentiful, especially bears and tigers, although monkeys also are very well represented. Altogether toys have been very ingeniously treated this year. From the Gentlewoman.

THE VATICAN OBSERVATORY.

The Vatican observatory came into existence shortly before 1582, when Pope Gregory XIII succeeded in amending the calendar. The Council of Nicea in A. D. 325 has assigned March 21 as the date when the sun entered the sign of Aries, but as Alfred Parr points out, the day was not really a fixed one, and by Gregory's time the accumulated error which amounted to ten days, seriously affected the date of Easter. The really active phase of the observatory's work began after the jubilee of Pope Leo XIII in 1888, when a scientific exhibition was held and among the presents received by the Vatican was a number of meteorological and astronomical instruments. The latter are now housed in domes built on the massive turrets forming part of the fortifications erected in the ninth century by Leo IV.

SAILORS' FIGHT FOR LIFE.

A terrible peril faced the crew of the steamship Mascot during a recent voyage, when the cargo of calcium carbide went on fire. Calcium carbide gives off, when wetted, the acetylene gas now so largely used for its illuminating power, and when the Mascot encountered a heavy storm off the Dogger Bank, the drums of the dangerous substance exploded, and the whole fore part of the ship became enveloped in flames. The waves broke on board and drove the flaming drums of carbide among piles of wood pulp. The deck and bulwarks became red-hot, but nevertheless the crew bravely faced the task by throwing the burning cargo overboard, and heaved 37 tons of carbide and 25 tons of wood pulp into the sea.

Interurban Coming.

Henderson, Ky., Aug. 19.—That plans have been made by the American Traction company, of Indianapolis, Ind., to develop interurban lines in Western Kentucky which will with those already planned extend from Owensboro to the Mississippi river at Hickman, Ky., was learned today from a reliable source.

The proposed lines of the Indiana company would extend from Henderson west to Uniontown and Paducah, touching numerous important towns, and from Paducah to Hickman.

An official of the company said that if the contemplated lines of the Henderson Interurban are built, as well as the plans of the recently formed Evansville, Henderson and Owensboro line are carried out, the construction of the contemplated lines of his company west from here will be accelerated.

That freight business would enter largely in the calculation of the company between Owensboro and Hickman was, he declared, the belief actuating the company's plans.

Phone 34 for groceries.

West Hickman Cash Grocery

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Staple and Fancy Groceries

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Sold under a strict guarantee.

Sans Pariel, per bbl. \$5.00
Star " 4.50
Purity " 4.00

W. T. Grissom

ALL ADORNED WITH FLOWERS

Innumerable Designs for Millinery Trimmings Have Found Favor With Parisians.

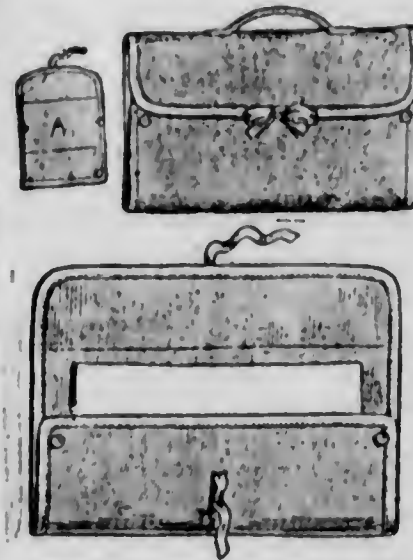
Would you know the flowers that are being made by the thousands over in Paris so that they may blossom out on the millinery of the Frenchwomen? First of all, there are the small June roses in pink, rich red and yellow shades.

Viola are answering the call and are now being sold in all shades of purple, yellow and white. If you wish lilacs in white and lavender, wisteria in its graceful, drooping form, and delicately tinted hydrangeas are here to be massed on crowns or to form huge bunches on large straw shapes.

Moss roses and lilacs of the valley are so frequently combined on a hat that these flowers are sold in bunches over in Paris already massed in their white and colored forms.

Poppies in the light pink, the deep red and the glowing yellow colors are to be picked from the counters in single and double form. Cerise velvet poppies, immense in size, for the hat with only one flower, are much in demand.

SIMPLE PORTFOLIO.



A simple portfolio, suitable for carrying music, drawing, etc., is shown in the accompanying sketch, and it is constructed entirely in one piece.

It can be made in art serge, cloth or American cloth, lined with canvas and bound at the end with braid or narrow ribbon.

The small sketch on the right-hand side shows it open to its full extent, and that portion marked "A" should be stiffened with cardboard, sewn in between the cover and the lining.

Lyric Saturday Night.

Net Results of Session.

The Congress which is now on the eve of adjournment has not accomplished much in the way of making laws but this is in a large measure due to the veto of bills by President Taft.

Canadian reciprocity was brought near reality as the executive and legislative departments could no longer avoid it; statehood was assured for New Mexico and Arizona, campaign publicity legislation was enacted, a form satisfactory to its most ardent advocates; provision was made for an enlarged house of representatives based upon the last census, and a few other measures of minor importance were passed.

Two tariff bills, one materially reducing the existing duties on wool and woolen goods of all classes, and the other putting on the five per cent article of machinery and tools used by farmers, and amended to include many other items, were vetoed by President Taft.

General arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France were sent to the senate by President Taft, but they received a frigid welcome, because the upper house contended that one provision of the treaties usurped the constitutional prerogatives.

Fraction in the department of agriculture over the enforcement of the pure food laws has been stirred by one of many investigations originating in the Democratic house and country-wide bears in raised over the question of whether the activities of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the Government's pure food expert, have been made ineffective.

Greater Hickman.

Col. Walter L. Brown and his workers have about finished grading the streets, putting in sewers and making other improvements in the New Industrial League Addition, a more than six weeks of continuous operation. This work has witnessed a wonderful change in the place, and a prettier townsite cannot be found in the United States.

All the streets have been graded, thrown up in the center and dirt affording necessary drainage. There are by far the widest streets to be found in this section, and for now one of the most superb automobile drives to be found in Western Kentucky with unobstructed view every where.

It has cost the company an immense sum of money to build the streets, but we aver that they will amply repaid in increased values. And they are not done. Walkers later be laid, shade trees planted in Riverside Park, this beauty spot, the addition, will be given a touch of the landscape artist's hand.

The Industrial League is bound come. We are more convinced than fast now than ever before. Those who have not seen it in the thirty days cannot form an adequate idea of the beauty added to the city by the recent improvements. The property itself is its best advertisement.

G. W. Pledges and non-industry closed yesterday 380 acres of bottom land from S. L. Dodds, pay \$60 an acre. It might not be out place to give the sale of this land as an example of the rapidly increasing values of land in this section. This land sold seven months ago at \$20 an acre to T. M. Ye. Mr. Dodds bought it a short while ago, paying \$30, and yesterday was sold for \$60. Can you figure a better investment than Fulton county soil?

The city council of Fulton has elected to grant licenses for the sale of near-beer in that city which usually means any old kind of beer. The license charge is \$500 a year. Fulton will soon be in a class with Memphis, so far as the booze question is concerned.

A. C. (Arch) Starks, of St. Louis, is here the guest of his father and old Hickman friends. Arch has been away from Hickman most of the time for the past 14 years, and, we understand, is doing well in the Missouri metropolis.

G. W. Menese was here from Chicago yesterday.

Engraved Calling Cards, Wedding Invitations, &c.

At Courier Office.
See samples.

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Our Motto—PURITY and HIGHEST QUALITY

We mill high quality grain only, low grade and smutty wheat not received. The public will please bear this in mind.

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Courier Want Column

RATES—One Cent per Word per Week in Advance.

FOR SALE: 1,000 new brick for less than cost. Mrs. M. E. Rose.

FOR SALE: A few choice lots in Rogers Addition. For particulars inquire at this office.

WANTED: Small residence located in good neighborhood, or 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms. Courier office. 1p

LOST: One gold cuff button with monogram, "H. L. A." Finder please return to this office or H. L. Amberg.

FOR SALE: One 8 year old mule and one 5 year old mule. Terms to suit or will trade for weanling mules.—J. M. Roper. 2p

FOR SALE: 1 team work mules, one safe buggy mare, 2 No. 1 milk cows; also Littleton seed wheat and old corn.—W. B. Mettles, route 4.

FOR SALE: Three good houses and lots, well located in West Hickman. Almost new. Will sell cheap and on reasonable terms.—E. M. Proctor. 4p

FOR SALE: 117 acres land, two miles northwest of Jordan, 100 acres in cultivation, well improved. Terms to suit purchaser.—W. C. Sowell, 103, Hickman. 4p

FOR SALE at a genuine bargain: One meat market refrigerator in good repair; too large for our trade. For further information address Kimbro, Youngs & Co., Moscow, Ky. 1p

Gardie Anderson Dead.

Death of Gardie Anderson.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Anderson died at his home Saturday evening at 9:40. Death was caused from fever resulting on his stomach some time ago. The disease gradually went from his stomach to his heart and the poor boy fell asleep without fear or shame into the arms of our Lord Jesus Christ to guide him through the Valley of Death that is to come.

Decceased would have been twenty years old next January.

He is survived by his parents, two sisters and two brothers, and they have the sympathy of their many friends in this sad hour.

Roper's Colt Show.

Roper's Annual Colt Show will take place on Tuesday, Sept. 12, at the farm five miles east of Hickman. The following premiums will be given: Aristocrat \$20, Osceola \$10, Mahawk \$15, Black Bay \$12.50. Owners that do not want to turn colts loose in lot may halter them.

Carl Schmidt celebrated his 21st birthday Tuesday evening by entertaining a number of friends at an elegant seven o'clock dinner. Those who had the pleasure of partaking of this sumptuous feast were J. H. Miller, W. C. Johnson, Dr. E. M. Crutchfield, C. L. Walker, W. D. McMillan, Gaudier Johnson, E. E. Reeves, J. C. Sexton and W. C. Speer.

Have you tried it—that new coal, washed and graded to regular sized lumps—especially suited for cooking.—A. A. Faris.

Heard On the Streets

Murkle's showboat next Wednesday.

Sullivan Bros.—the house of bargains.

Nelson Riggs has returned from Greenfield.

Schmidt, the Tailor. Beware of imitations.

All the latest magazines at Fethe & French's.

Robinson's circus will exhibit at Fulton, Sept. 6.

WEATHER: Probably showers today; fair Friday.

Miss Hirdie Glover, of Union City, is visiting Hickman friends.

Miss Jessie Evans, of Canton, Miss. is the guest of Mrs. J. Q. Adams.

Hoya School Suits at remarkably low prices—all colors.—Sullivan Bros.

The Sir. Harry Lee sank Tuesday at Brandywine Landing, below Memphis.

Mrs. Geo. Weatherly returned from a visit with Hickman friends yesterday.

Old M. Walcott, formerly of Fulton, died at Texarkana, Tex., Tuesday.

H. C. Helm and family left for Gibson Wells, Tuesday, to spend a few days.

Mrs. C. H. Moore returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Union City.

RIVER: Cairo gauge reads 11.7, rising. Will begin falling before Saturday.

Miss Cora Berry, of Woodland Mills is the guest of Mrs. B. K. Davidson this week.

Try our washed cooking coal. Uniform size lumps; no dust and dirt.—A. A. Faris.

Why not use dustless coal for cooking? A. A. Faris has the real article at the right price.

Swan Burrus bought 80 acres of land from S. L. Dadds this week. It is located in the bottom.

Judge O'Rear, Republican candidate for Governor, will speak at the City Hall Tuesday, Aug. 29, 8 p. m.

Misses Lyte and Carrie May Reid are visiting Mrs. Joann Mann and other relatives near Dorena for two weeks.

The State Election Commission will meet in Frankfort next Saturday to name the county election commissioners.

Walter Lee, Harry and Allison Brown left for their home in Jackson, Tenn., yesterday, after a short Brown.

The Ferry boat Dixie has been repaired from stern to stern and is ready to take care of the general ferry business.

Mrs. Dee Reid and daughter, Miss Franky, left Tuesday night on Peters Lee to visit relatives in St. Louis for two weeks.

Phone 185 and for a trial order of our dustless cooking coal. No slack; no big lumps. Prepared especially for kitchen use.—A. A. Faris.

The Baptist Missionary Society will meet at the church next Thursday afternoon, Aug. 31, at 3:30. All members are requested to be present.

The infant daughter of Ed Williams and wife, of near town, died Monday and was buried at Brownsville, Tuesday. The little one was only 10 days old.

Mrs. Gardner, of Chicago, will give an art exhibition at Mrs. H. T. Davis' tomorrow afternoon. The ladies of the Embroidery Club and all music lovers are invited.

C. S. Snelby says there is at least one honest man in Hickman. Monday, a week ago, he lost a purse containing \$30 and Thursday following it was returned intact by Jack Freeman.

At the Methodist Church Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., there will be preaching by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Wilson. He will also hold services and Sunday School at East Hickman Chapel at 4 p. m.

City Marshall Wright has a good force of men graveling, grading and putting in sewers on several streets in Hickman this week. Our streets are now in better shape than they have been for many years. Hickman has the best set of city officers in the U. S.



Good Weather to Paint

Don't put off painting till next spring. Do it now!

Weather conditions are good; no long spring rains to soak into the lumber and jeopardize good results; no gnats and flies to stick to the fresh paint; the paint put on now gives protection against winter storms.

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If you're going to paint this fall let us talk to you about S. W. P.

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Hickman Hardware Co.

INCORPORATED

Cayce Milling Co.

Incorporation papers were filed with County Clerk Roper this week, by J. W. Naylor and E. E. and C. A. Bonduant, incorporating the Cayce Milling Company under the laws of the State of Kentucky.

The company is incorporated for \$6,000, the par value of the shares being \$100 each, and owned equally by the above named gentlemen.

The company is authorized to deal in hay, grain, and farm products, flour, meal, bran, etc., and to mill products and build and operate a mill at Cayce. The office of the company is designated as Cayce.

Hickman Baptist Church, Sunday, August 27th. Sunday-school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 o'clock, evening service at 8 o'clock. Every member of the church is especially urged to be present at the 11 o'clock service. The pastor will preach on a theme of vital interest to every Christian. We extend a cordial invitation to all.—Spurgeon Wilgo Pastor.

Fred Hadley, of Morehouse, Mo., who has been visiting his brother, George Hadley, is visiting in Fulton.

Hurt at Mengel.

E. D. Williams, an employ of the Mengel Box Co., working on a skidway, had a log to fall on his right leg yesterday morning and break the bone in two places between the knee and ankle. Drs. Hubbard & Blackford dressed his wound, and he is getting along alright considering the severity of the accident.

A special from Hopkinsville says: All manner of devices are in use by horsemen to secure immunity for their animals from the bite of a small green fly that in the last week or so has infested this region. Ordinarily fly nets are useless, and flymen have found no insecticide that will deter the fly at all. Farmers have been seen in town here driving mules completely encased in sackings, the coverings for the legs consisting of canvas trousers, the effect being most ludicrous.

Boh Johnson, a section foreman for the N. C. & St. L., was fined \$50 this week by Judge Naylor for drawing a pistol on a man who called him. The negro, Jas. Jordan, was fined \$15 for the offense.

O'Rear Will speak.

Judge O'Rear, Republican candidate for Governor of Kentucky will speak at the Lyric, in Hickman, Tuesday evening, August 29th. The Judge has a reputation for being a very entertaining speaker, and our people should turn out and hear him. Everyone cordially invited.

On Thursday morning of last week, Miss Jessie Outen entertained a large number of little girls in honor of her Johns, of Corinth, Miss., who has been visiting them several weeks. Roe punch was served as the guests arrived, and later cream and cake. The progressive book games were much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mintlow Jones and little daughter, left yesterday for a visit to her brother in Malden, Mo. They will also visit in East Fairle and Cairo before returning home. Miss Bulah Conner will accompany them to New Madrid where she will visit Mrs. Bonner Williams.

Fifty years guarantee on Onelda Community Silverware.—H. Hdw. Co.

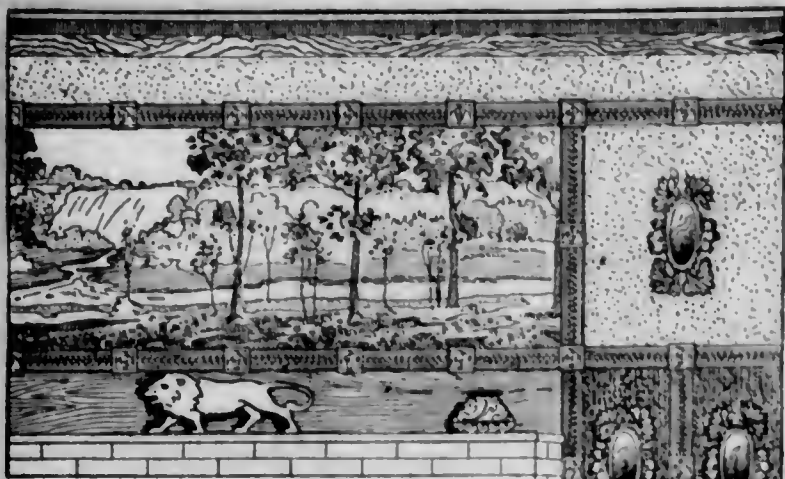
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Died in Hickman.

Geo. W. Dameron, age 76 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Travis, in Southern Heights, Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock. Mr. Dameron had suffered from Bright's disease for the past two years, and death was not unexpected.

He was a citizen of Martin, Tenn., and was held in high esteem by his many friends of that section. Realizing that the end was not far off, Mr. Dameron came to Hickman about two weeks ago to be with his daughter.

Decensed was a member of the Methodist church and the Masonic lodge. The remains were shipped to Martin and will be laid to rest in Salem Cemetery today at 11 o'clock with Masonic honors.

Decensed is survived by his wife, and nine children. Two of them reside in this county—Mrs. Travis of Hickman, and Mrs. Ella Travis, at Fulton.

The bereaved ones have the sympathy of their many friends. Visit with their father Walter L.

Wm. Bailey of Coldwater, Ky., and Elizabeth Rowley, of Oakton, Ky., were married last Tuesday.

Herman Yates, a negro, was arrested Monday by Sheriff Johnson 24 miles west of Hickman, near Mabel. He is charged with selling whiskey and carrying a pistol.

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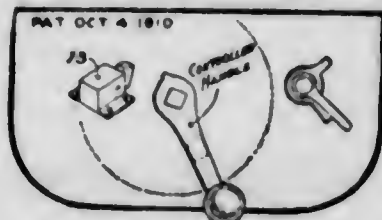


AUTOMATIC SIGNAL FOR CAR

Operated by Controller Handle Illuminates Sign as Warning to Street Car Passengers.

August May has invented an automatic danger signal for street car passengers, which, it is believed, will be the means of averting accidents. A small "house" circuit closer, as shown at 13 in the drawing, is arranged on top of the controller box of an electric car, and in the path of movement of the controller handle, says the New Orleans Times-Democrat. This circuit closer, acting in combination with the controller handle, operates to illumine two sets of advertisements, which may be located anywhere inside or outside the car, but which are preferably located on the upper and lower plane of the now unoccupied car roof.

When the controller handle is in the "current-on" position and the car is in motion, one set of advertisements is illumined. When the car stops to put off passengers and the controller handle is in the "current-off" position the first set of advertisements is darkened and the second set illumined, and vice versa. The first set of ads. may be on the lower roof plane and the second set on the upper roof



Automatic Danger Signal.

plane, or wherever desired. With the second set of ads. the car being stopped, a danger signal may operate on the rear platform, to warn passengers alighting from the car that another car may be passing on an adjacent track. By a proper contrast of colors the ads. may be operated day and night. The danger signal may be used or not, as desired. The sign structure may be as desired, consistent with standardizing and attractiveness.

WORK OF HEN ACCELERATED

Electric Food Heater Invented to Serve Warm Meals in Chicken Yard at All Hours.

There are all sorts of devices to accelerate the barnyard hen to greater activity in the matter of her chosen profession of laying eggs. Nearly every chicken raiser has some individual opinion on this subject, but there are a great many who adhere to the notion that the hens do their best work in this direction when they are given warm feed. The preparation of this is a matter of some considerable trouble, and for the sake of convenience many owners make a compromise by giving the hens a warm meal once a day. Now, then, if a warm meal once a day is good for the chickens, a warm meal all day long should be so much the better, and, acting on this suggestion, an inventor has made an electric food heater by which it will be possible to serve warm meals at all hours in the chicken yard. Current is conveyed to the device by means of wires connecting with the household circuit, and this, passing into a small electric heater, keeps the chicken food at a very desirable temperature at all times. The invention is also of value in the winter time when the drinking fountains of the poultry yard freeze up in a short time. This heater will keep the water in proper condition at all times. The amount of current consumed is said to be very small.

Water Williams, aged 18 or 20 son of a well known citizen of the county, is in jail on the charge of forgery. He passed a check for \$20.25 on Hunt Shuglowsky Tuesday, getting a \$15 suit of clothes and \$5.25 in cash on it. The check was payable to Walter Williams, signed "K. M. Myatt." The First National Bank officers saw at once that it was not genuine signature of Mr. Myatt and refused to pay it. Mr. Myatt later said he had given no such check. Williams was captured Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Kluebel at Wickliffe, which point he had reached on his way to Missouri—Clinton Gazette.

The vote that was taken Saturday by the citizens of South Fulton to ascertain whether or not that city should be bonded for \$5,000.00 resulted in the issue being passed, about three fourths of the citizens being in favor of it. It is the intention of that city to install a water and light plant of their own and thus furnish water and lights to the numerous residents of South Fulton, who with the present system are unable to be reached by Fulton's facilities.

Cypress Shingles \$1.25 a thousand at mill six miles southwest of Hickman.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

What will be Worn in Suits?

Browns are very popular this fall, far ahead of even the ever popular grays, and

LEIBOVITZ'S

samples, including the newest and most beautiful shades and weaves, are now ready for your inspection. Blues, and the new blue-grays, are also prominently featured, and it will be a hard man to suit that cannot select a pattern from among the five hundred beauties now on display. I am now ready to "show" you.

Leibovitz
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

Where quality reigns higher than price.

Tyler the Right Man.

The death of Gen. Gordon left the United Confederate Veterans without a commander. In looking over the situation and for a man suitable to take the place of Gen. Gordon the News-Herald, of Potosi City, has the following to say:

When it comes to the selection of a successor to General Gordon as Commander of the United Confederate Veterans, we stand on sterner ground. General Tyler, of Hickman, is at present and has for many years been the commander of General Furston's command the most picturesque, the most uncomparable set of heroes the world ever saw. General Tyler in command of this corps is easily the leading and most conspicuous figure among the living Confederates. Tyler will brag and blow (and does). But Tyler is one of the few who in action, in cool leadership, in desperate emergencies in peerless and unconquerable gallantry, could not unduly brag and blow so swift, so marvelous, so deadly and terrific was the career of Forrest and his captives that anything told full about of the real truth. The News-Herald is unhesitatingly in favor of Capt. Henry Tyler as the next Commander of the United Confederate Veterans of the South.

Your winter clothing. Now is the best time to have them cleaned and pressed and repaired. We will do your work right. White Bros., phone 195.

Bargains in Farm Land.

Kentucky Land For Sale.

Tract No. 1. Eighty acres 1 1/2 miles below Hickman on C. M. & G. Ry. About 70 acres in cultivation, balance in woods. New 4 room house and stable. Will take \$4,000 for this land.

Tract No. 2. Forty acres two miles from Hickman on C. M. & G. Ry. New 4 room house, stable, etc. About thirty acres in cultivation, balance in timber. Will take \$2000 for this tract.

Tract No. 3. Farm of 160 acres, 2 miles below Hickman, all in cultivation, several good houses and out buildings, stables, etc. Rented out for a term of four years with good ten-ant. \$65 per acre.

Tract No. 4. About 75 acres, two good tenant houses, stables, etc. All in cultivation, 2 1/2 miles from Hickman 1/2 mile from Owen Slough Switch. \$90 per acre.

Tract No. 5. Farm of 280 acres on Big Slough, about 7 miles from Hickman, 1/2 mile of landford station, 8 or 10 good tenant houses, stables, etc. about 150 acres in cultivation, gravel road being built through this land. \$60 per acre.

Tract No. 6. Farm of 180 acres between Mud Creek and Tayce, all in cultivation. Good barns, houses etc. Price made on application.

Mississippi Land For Sale.

Tract No. 8. 2555 acres between State Farm and Roundway Plantation, 1/2 mile from Madison branch on Y. & M. V. Ry., 15 miles from Clark-

dale, Miss. About 100 acres in cultivation, balance in woods. The logs have been cut from it but the timber standing can be worked over from then, staves, etc. A new man-er's cottage with 7 or 8 good tenant houses, stables, etc., artesian well flowing 75 gallons per minute. Will take \$60,000 for this piece of property. Note four in the Delta. This is a good chance for a few Fulton city boys to join in and divide up the property.

Tract No. 9. 728 acres three miles from Heathman on Southern Ry., and three miles from Leland branch of Y. & M. V. Ry., 1 1/2 miles from Kuttawh river. About 150 acres in cultivation, and about 450 acres that have been denuded 4 or 5 years. Six or seven good tenant houses, stables, etc. Will take \$15,000 for this, on terms stated on above land.

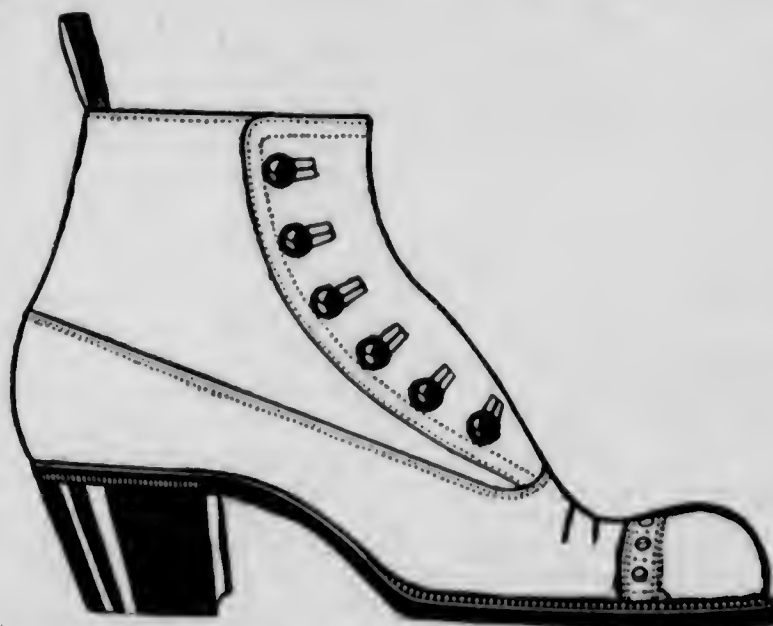
Tract No. 10. Forty acres 2 miles north of Heathman. Will take \$10 per acre for this.

Will sell any of above land at 1 per cent cash, balance one to five one to ten, one to twenty, one to forty years if so desired by purchaser, 5 per cent payable annually.

Also forty good brood mares, bred to 1890 Jack that we will sell at a bargain. Also several good registered red polled bull calves, and several registered Berkshire boar pigs.

S. L. DODDS.

Atty. F. B. Moore, who was operated on for a kidney trouble at a Louisville hospital, is reported as getting along nicely, and is expected home in about ten days.



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